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Council Proceedings.

Adjourned meeting Borough Council, Emporium, July 8, 1908.

Present: Messrs Freindel, White and Rishell.

No quorum.

On motion by Mr. White, seconded by Mr. Rishell, Council adjourned to meet Friday night, July 10th, at 8 o'clock.

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Adjourned meeting Borough Council Emporium, July 10, 1908.

Present: Messrs: Friendel, White, Marshall, Rishell, Goodnough, Norris, Cummings, Mumford and Hamilton.

Absent: None.

A petition was presented to the Council, sighed by the owners of property representing not less than two-thirds in number of feet of the properties fronting or abutting on that part of Fourth street, between the west end of the brick paving now on Fourth street and the west line of Wood street.

Moved by Mr. Rishell, seconded by Mr. White, that an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance requiring the curbing and paving of that part of Fourth Street in the Borough of Emporium between the west end of the brick paving now on said Fourth Street and the west side of Wood Street, and providing for the collection of two-thirds of the cost and expense of the same from the owners of the Real Estate bounding or abutting thereon by an equal assessment on the feet front bounding or abutting on said part of Fourth Street" be passed as read before the Council. A vote was taken and the Councilmen voted as follows: Ayes—Messrs. Friendel, White, Rishell, Goodnough, Norris, Cummings, Marshall, Hamilton and Mumford. Nays—None. The motion was declared carried.

Moved by Mr. Goodnough, seconded by Mr. White, that an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance requiring the curbing and paving of that part of Fourth Street in the Borough of Emporium between the west end of the brick paving now on said Fourth Street and the west side of Wood Street, and providing for the collection of two-thirds of the cost and expense of the Real Estate bounding or abutting thereon by an equal assessment on the feet front bounding or abutting on said part of Fourth Street" be advertised as required by law. Unanimously Carried.

Moved by Mr. White, seconded by Mr. Mumford, that notice be given by hand bills posted along the proposed curbing and paving on Fourth Street, as provided by the Act of April 14th, 1905. Unanimously Carried.

Moved by Mr. Norris, seconded by Mr. White, that communication in regard to Electric Light wires be referred to Electric Light Committee who are authorized to have same repaired as petitioned. Unanimously carried.

Moved by Mr. Goodnough, seconded by Mr. Norris, that the appointment of members of the Board of Health as follows; Geo. Metzger, Sr., one year; H. C. Olmsted, two years; C. H. Felt, three years; I. K. Hockley, four years and H. S. Falk, 5 years, appointed by the President of Council, be confirmed by the Council. Unanimously carried.

Moved by Mr. Hamilton, seconded by Mr. Cummings that concrete crossing be laid on Maple Street at Fourth and Greenwood Streets. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Goodnough, seconded by Mr. Norris, that crossing stones taken out of Fourth Street be placed on Broad Street at a point near Pennsylvania R. R. tracks. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Goodnough, seconded by Mr. Marshall, that Treasurer be authorized to pay such bonds at such times as the funds in his hands will permit. Unanimously carried.

Moved by Mr. Hamilton, seconded by Mr. Goodnough, that Street Commissioner be instructed to repair Fifth Street. Carried.

On motion Council then adjourned.

R. C. MOORE, Sec'y.

Good Game.

Saturday afternoon the Emporium base ball team defeated the P. S. & N. team of St. Marys on their stamping grounds. The game was an exciting one from start to finish, the score being 14 to 12. Several sensational plays were made during the game, among which was a catch by Hockley of a swift liner, a long run for a fly by Brady, making a double play and a home run by Eckstine.

The St. Marys boys will play a return game at Keystone Park, Saturday afternoon. Admission 25c; grandstand 10c. extra.

Cook Wanted.

A good Woman cook wanted at once at City Hotel.

22tf. M. J. DOLAN.

Enjoyable Time.

Adams Express Agent at Emporium. Mr. John D. Logan, returned on Saturday from attending the Express Agents Convention at Boston. He reports a gloriously good time. About one hundred delegates were in attendance. Boston treated them royally and feasted them on the best. Of course he took his usual bath, in fact all but three took a dip in the brimy deep. Wow! Whow! but that makes us wish we were able to take our annual bath.

Shippen School Teachers.

The Shippen School Board last Saturday employed the following teachers for their respective schools: Principal, Prof. Harold Ghering, Edinboro, Pa., Miss Alice Quigley, Intermediate, Miss Ruby Heidick, Primary, Plank Road; Miss Eva Lewis, Shippen; Miss Nora Ostrum, West Creek; Miss Ophelia Card, Howard; Miss Mable Edwards, Swesey; Mr. Geo. Leavitt, Truman; Miss Bessie Whaley, Beechwood; Miss Annie Welsh, Four Mile; Jessie Card, Bryan Hill; Miss Rena Swesey, Chadwick; Miss Gertrude Swesey, Clear Creek; Miss Beatrice Barr, Elk Lick; Miss Leatha Victory, North Creek; Miss Jane Glenn, Upper Four Mile; Miss Mary Farrel, Whittemore Hill; Miss Lillie Card, More Hill, Miss Margarite Weisenfluh, Hicks Run.

Quick Railroading.

Last Saturday morning a chap entered John McCullough's boarding house, near the Junction and requested that he be furnished a bed. One of the roomers, who came in at the same time, found him a bed. The boarders upon getting up in the morning discovered they had been robbed of $34 in money and two watches. Policeman Mundy was given a description of the thief and he succeeded in locating the chap at the New Warner and found the money on his person and the watches in his bed. Chief Mundy took his prisoner before Esq. Larrabee, who sentenced him to jail in default of $1,000 bail. On Monday he was taken before the court and pleaded guilty, after which Judge Hall sentenced him to three years confinement in Western Penitentiary. The prisoner gives his name as F. H. Hunter, aged 36, and represents that his home is within two squares of the Penitentiary, so he will be near his home. This quick business is a warning to evil doers to keep away from Emporium.

Now He is a Man.

Mr. Claude E. Rentz, the efficient bookkeeper for the Emporium Machine Company, has passed from boyhood to manhood and the joyous event was celebrated in grand style, last Friday evening, by a surprise being worked on Claude, when the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Rentz, was given over to the friends of the "New Man." The evening was pleasantly spent in playing games and music until a late hour when refreshments were served. Claude is a very exemplary young man and is held in the highest esteem by all who know him. He was the recipient of a signet ring from his friends who helped him celebrate his natal day. Those present were the Misses Bessie McQuay, Alma Hertig, Ida Hertig, Emma Ellis, Florence Jackson, Vera Olmsted, Marion Rentz and Myrtle Lloyd, and the Messrs. Max Balcom, Frank Dodson, Raymond Klees, Russell McQuay, Scott Sterner, Ermin Rentz and Lynn Strayer. May he live long and enjoy many happy returns of the day is the wish of his many friends.

Shaking off the Dust.

Both Lock Haven and Renovo are buckling down to street paving. Lock Haven has paved a long stretch on Church street, which cost them less than $1.60 per square yard. Renovo have received bids for the paving of two streets, the lowest bid being $1.99 per square yard for paving and 60 cents per lineal foot for curbing. Renovo paving is to be completed by August 28th. The Lock Haven Democrat while speaking of the work already done, pays the "Calder" brick, manufactured by the Penn Vitrified Brick Co., at Cameron, the following tribute: "As a matter of comparison with the contract price, $1.99 per square yard, which Renovo will pay, the paving job on East Church street, this city, which was put down last summer by the city, under the direction of Superintendent C. F. Keller, cost a fraction less than $1.60 a square yard. Calder brick were used on a concrete foundation and it is conceded by competent authorities that a better job of brick street paving cannot be found anywhere."

For Sale.

A $35.00 baby carriage only used about six weeks. Will sell very cheap. Inquire of Jos. Newton.

Cornell—Williams.

On Monday, 11 a. m., July 6, 1908, a nicely arranged marriage took place in River View parlor, West Marlinton, when Mr. Claude Lester Cornell and Miss Lubertha Founty Williams were joined in marital relations by Rev. Wm. T. Price, D. D. Mr. Cornell is a native of Warren county, Pennsylvania. His parents are Mr. Norman Cornell and Mrs. Cynthia (*nee* Koun) Cornell. He is in the employ of the Watoga Lumber Co., on the log train crew for some years. Miss William's home is in Beard. She is an attractive young person with many attached friends. Mr. Ralph Horton acted as the groom's best man. The parties took the evening train for Beard, where a reception awaited them at the home of the bride. Many are the friends in Pacahontas county, W. Va, and Warren county, Penn., who wish those young people peace, happiness and prosperity in their new life and relations.—Pocahontas, W. Va., Times.

Another Hunting Record.

In last week's PRESS we note an article in which is given the hunting and trapping record of Isaac William Wykoff, of Cameron, which is certainly a great showing and which places Mr. Wykoff in the front ranks, and while we cheerfully admit that Isaac is a top notcher, we beg herewith to submit the record of John S. Jordan, of Huntley, during the past year and also during his forty years experience of hunting and trapping in this section. It took considerable persuasion to overcome Mr. Jordan's natural modesty but he finally granted the PRESS correspondent an interview, in which he submits the following: In the season of 1907, he secured six bear, three wildcats, 16 coons, 20 mink, five weasels, 13 foxes, 21 skunks and 50 muskrats, and during his 40 years experience, he remembers of killing 73 bears, 40 deer, over 200 foxes and countless numbers of small game.

Mr. Jordan remembers the last time he used a muzzle loading gun. Some years ago he was hunting pheasants with an old smooth bore and had used up all his shot and was returning home when he suddenly came upon a large bear at the head of Big Run. He wanted that bear but had no shot or bullets. However his native resourcefulness came to the rescue and he quickly rammed home a charge of powder and using the hickory ram rod as a projectile, shot the bear through the heart. Singularly the ramrod was not damaged in the least.

There are several more celebrated hunter-trappers in Cameron county, among whom are Seth Nelson, of Grove; James Batchelder, of Sinnamahoning; "Pap" Blodgett, of Wyside; Jeff Lynch, Geo. Strawbridge, Henry Hiney and Larry Summerson of Sterling Run; Allen Russell, of Four Mile, and last, but not least, "Uncle" Washington Mason, of Tunnel Hill, who is 85 years old but who can hit a fifty cent piece at 1,000 yards with a bullet. After we heard from the former gentlemen, "Uncle Wash" may give us some very interesting information regarding his hunting and trapping in this section, as he is the pioneer of them all. It has been suggested that the hunting achievements of the above named gentlemen be submitted to Major J. M, English of the R. F. D., and whoever is declared the champion will be asked to join President Roosevelt when he goes to Africa on his big hunt after his term of office expires.

J. F. S.

Pleasant Trip.

Mr. E. G. Coleman, who retired from active business some years ago, when he sold his holding in the Climax Powder Company, in which he was one of the original incorporators, left on Monday for New Bedford, Mass., accompanied by his son Edwin, who has made his home with his aunt at Olean, N. Y., since the death of his mother. They expect to visit many points of interest, especially Nantucket Island, Mass., Mr. Coleman's native town. Nantucket is situated thirty miles in the ocean. Nantucket Island once contained 10,000 inhabitants but is now reduced to 7,000. It is now purely a summer resort, one of the most popular. The Island is five miles wide and twenty-two long. No doubt the many memories of boyhood days will be interesting to both.

Advices from all sections of the country unmistakably indicate that prosperity is returning. The resumption of business is gradual, not sudden, and conservatism marks every move, which is all the better for ultimate solidity of trade. The reduction of 100,000 in the number of idle cars in two months is another proof of a revival.

Boys Brigade Camp Near Ridgway, Pa.

July 14, 1908.

The boys are all doing splendidly and are apparently having a good time.

Many have never camped out before, and with the exception of a few "quitters" and "grumblers" that are bound to crop up in every organization on certain occasions, their ability to adapt themselves to new conditions inflects great credit on their intelligence and manly qualities.

There has been practically no sickness in camp, the boys are all well and this morning at Roll Call, out of the 112 present, one huudred and twelve reported themselves ready to perform their share of the duties and exercises of the day.

The boys are under perfect discipline and there has been no rowdyism whatever. We have had many visitors in camp and they have all been very enthusiastic in their praise of the young gentlemen who constitute the personnel of the 3rd Battalion, United Boys Brigades of America.

Our cooking is being done at the farm, and, while the variety is possibly not what the boys are used to at home, the quality is excellent and the quantity is now more than sufficient.

The parents at home need have no fear or worry, everything possible is being done for the welfare and comfort of their boys.

On Friday we break camp and the boys will all return home sun-burned and possibly a little dirty, but with apetites that from experience I can truthfully say will require much food to satisfy.

B. TH. BLISS,
Major Commanding Camp.

A Distressing Accident.

Special to the Press.

Miss Blanche Logue, daughter of Mr, and Mrs. Wm. H. Logue, of Huntley, Pa., met with a serious and painful accident while employed at the Lakeside Hotel, at Eaglesmere, Pa., on the morning of July 10th. Miss Logue was working in the laundry department and while putting a tablecloth through the mangle rollers, in some way her left hand was caught between the rolls. Her hand was drawn into about an inch above the upper knuckles, and in trying to extricate the hand, tore the skin and a good portion of her fingers crushed. Her right hand was also caught nearly to the middle joints. The machinery was stopped at once but in spite of this the hands were burned considerably. A doctor was at once summoned and ordered her to be taken to the Pniladelphia Hospital which was done at once, Miss Kirk accompanying her. J. S. Kirk & Son, proprietors of the "Lakeside" are doing all in their power to give the afflicted lady every comfort and we hope for her speedy recovery. Miss Logue is one of Cameron county's most popular young ladies.

"Our Boys' at Camp."

A visit to the camps of Company M, of our Boys' Brigade, found their tents pitched on the meadow lands of Money Farm, together with Companies I, L, and K, of Ridgway.

The Money farm lies seven miles west of Ridgway, on Bear Creek, one of the most picturesque spots in the valley. On the south side of the field the four companies have their tents so pitched as to form four complete streets, at the head of which you find the tents of the officers, and on the opposite end are situated the mess tables. On the north side the staff is quartered, over which waves "Our Nation's Pride."

All the boys are detailed to do different work, such as guard duty, assisting in the mess tents, keeping tents in order, etc. At six o'clock in the morning all are aroused by bugle call; at 7:30 breakfast, and the rest of the morning is spent at drills. After the noon day meal, field sports are indulged in. At six p. m. all assemble at the call of the bugle for dress parade, in which Company M, was judged by the visitors as the best drilled and making the finest appearance.

The boys are under the careful guidance of Major Bliss of Ridgway and Rev. Robertson, their Chaplain, of this city who see to their needs, as well as to the discipline.

All the boys appeared to be enjoying camp life, and enduring the hardships like brave soldiers, excepting a few "knockers" who deserted the camps before even getting acquainted with the grounds and layout Our future heroes are made of such sturdy lads as those who stuck to the camp.

Coppersmith's.

This well known house is unloading their large and handsome line of goods at great reductions, in many cases one-half off. Read their new ad in another column.

GOOD ADVICE TO SON.

Emporium Father Writes Manly Letter to His Boy, Who is With the Bear Creek Campers—Wants Him to be Strenuous.

Ridgway Daily Record.

Some of the members of the company from Emporium at the Boys Brigade camp on Bear Creek have complained about the fare. Not being accustomed to camp life, they had expected something different. Probably thought they would have pie for breakfast, dinner and supper, instead of just good plain, substantial food, such as they have been provided with. Consequently they complained to their parents, and some of them either went home, or were sent home. But there is one father in Emporium who didn't want to hear any complaints from his son, and so wrote him the following letter, which is certainly good enough to print, since it has the right ring:

Emporium, Pa., July 11th, 1908.

Dear Joe:—Some of the boys have come back and are making a whole lot of noise about the food and the work and all sorts of things.

I am told, however, that they were sent home for disobedience and bad conduct in camp

However, that may be, I hope that you will show that you are made of better stuff than that.

You did not go there to feed on roast turkey and be carried around in automobiles. When you go to camp you must expect camp life and when you are in the army you must expect to obey orders without asking any questions.

Do as you are told and be a gentleman and I will guarantee that things will be all right.

If you don't get all you think you ought to have to eat or have to work more than you think you ought, stand up to it like a man.

Remember that your Uncle Frank ate his breakfast on the morning of July 1st before going into the battle at Santiago, that he ate his next meal on the 5th and that he had to kill a Spaniard to get even that That when volunteer scouts were asked for to penetrate the Spanish lines, he went, although he did not have to, into what was almost certain death.

He did what he found to do and ate what he got without complaining.

What was the result? On the morning of the Sixth his name was read at the head of the army and he was complimented in general orders for conspicuous bravery on the field. His superior officers being all either dead or wounded, he was in command of his company although only a sergeant. When he reached Montauk Point, all the general officers being incapacitated for duty, the war department had faith enough in him to leave him in command of the regiment. Congress gave him what in America is the equivalent of the Victoria Cross in England—a congressional medal—Generals Shafter, Grant, Bell, McArthur and Fauston wrote personal letters to the president asking that he be commissioned in the regular army and when the Chinese trouble was on he was sent on a confidential mission to the Mikado.

He stood up like a man and a soldier, and he was recognized beyond any other enlisted man in the Spanish war simply because his superior officers knew he could be depended on to see the thing through, no difference how dangerous, how difficult, or how disagreeable.

Your mother and I expect our boy to be as brave as his uncle and to do his whole duty without complaining, no difference how hard it may be or may appear. I am sure that Mr. Robertson will not see any of you starved or be overworked. Be a man and a soldier.

YOUR LOVING FATHER.

Friendly Society Pic-Nic.

The Friendly Society of the Presbyterian Church, held its annual pic-nic last Tuesday, at Sizerville, and it was a great success, as there was a lot to eat and plenty of fun. The storm somewhat dampened things for a while, but the darkness was soon dispelled by the sunshine and a fine game of ball followed, sides being chosen by the Rev, Dr. Johnson and Charles Wiley, which resulted in a victory for Dr. Johnson's nine. The shouting from the grand stand was deafening, as some grand slides were made for the bases. The picnic was attended by about twenty persons and all report a most glorious time.

Full Page Adv.

Richard Kuehne who has successfully conducted the large and handsome dry goods and millinery goods store in the new Cramer block during the past year, is making a sweeping reduction in every department. Read his full page "ad" in this issue and note the big bargains he is offering. It is a well known fact that the line of goods in this up-to-date store are equal to the best and are sold at prices within the reach of all. Call and see the large and beautiful stock now going at big bargains.

Social.

The Presbyterian ladies will hold an ice cream social on the lawn of Mrs. F. G. Judd, Friday evening of this week.

THE WEATHER.

FRIDAY Fair.
SATURDAY Showers.
SUNDAY Showers.

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Office over A. F. Vogt's Shoe Store,
Emporium, Pa. 121

Grove City Bible Conference.

The program for this year in point of character and scholarship excels that of any preceding year. Distinguished scholars and educators from both sides of the Atlantic have been engaged to take part in this work, including such men as Dr. Watkinson, of London; Dr. McLeod, of Edinburg, Scotland; Prof. Hugh Black, of Union Theological Seminary; Burden P. Bowne, of Boston, Drs. Wilson and Erdman, of Princeton; Dr. Moorhead, of Xenia; Dr. Beecher, of Auburn, Drs. McLenahan and Kaiso, of Allegheny; President David Gregg, of the Western Theological Seminary and many other distinguished scholars, including noted Missionaries from Foreign Fields.

Entertainment can be had at very reasonable rates. Grove City is a delightful place to combine Bible study with an enjoyable outing. For terms and all other information address President Isaac C. Ketler, Grove City, Pa.

Fast in a Bridge.

On July 4th while a party composed of Geo. Eckstine and family and John Hout and family were enjoying the day in Indian Run, Elk Fork, they discovered a valuable horse, belonging to C. B. Howard Co., fast in an old bridge. After about an hour's hard work the men of the party succeeded in getting the horse back on the ground. It is quite fortunate that these people were in that vicinity or the horse may have died before discovered.

Auto Trip to Ridgway.

Hon. Josiah Howard gave his new car a good test on Tuesday, going from Emporium to the Boys Brigade Camp, 6½ miles from Ridgway returning home about eleven o'clock same evening. The party was composed of Hon. Josiah Howard, Chas. L. Butler, J. P. McNarney, A. F. Vogt and E. J. Smith, who acted as chaffeur, of which he is an adept. The party enjoyed the ride.

Jarper Harris.

The well known Fourth street clothing merchant, opposite the post office, is making a record breaking display in every department. His long and up-right manner of dealing with the public is a guarantee that all get a square deal. Read his new ad.

Painful Injury.

Mrs. W. L. Thomas met with a painful accident on Saturday afternoon, running a large sliver into the ball of her right foot. Dr. Heilman was called on Monday and removed the slab, which was imbedded deep in the foot.

Old Time Emporium Boys.

Ed. W. Conroy, Buffalo; Michael J. Conroy, East Aurora and John Conroy, of Nebraska, arrived in Emporium early this morning and registered at City Hotel and called on many Emporium friends and looked over the old town. The boys are prosperous, time having dealt kindly with them.

The St. Charles.

Gayney and Maline, the new proprietors of the St. Charles Hotel are rapidly getting in shape for their opening, which will be within a week. Geo. J. LaBar is newly furnishing the hotel throughout. A visit to this handsomly arranged house will be pleasing. May success follow their efforts.

Ice Cream Social.

The Queen Esther Society of the M. E. Church will hold an ice cream social on the lawn of the parsonage, Thursday evening, July 23, 1908. All are welcomg. 22-2t

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The Job department of the PRESS is complete and affords facilities for doing the best class of work. PARTICULAR ATTENTION PAID TO LAW PRINTING.

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Papers sent out of the county must be paid for in advance.

City Planning in America.

We are prone to speak of city planning as if it were something new, and in a way something particularly American. It is true it has reached a wider vogue in a shorter time in this country than in any other, but as far back as 1666 Sir Christopher Wren prepared a plan for the city of London after the great fire. It was never carried out, although some of his recommendations are now being executed under the progressive policy of the modern county council. In our own country, L'Enfant, over a century ago, prepared a plan not only for our capital city, but also for Buffalo, both of which have been adhered to in the main points. Detroit followed L'Enfant's ideas, although he did not prepare the plans. These cities represent deliberate, comprehensive planning from the beginning. Like Dalny in faraway Siberia, they were developed along previously determined lines; but such instances are possible only in new countries, and are exceptional even there. The Chicago, Cleveland, New York and San Francisco plans represent an entirely different phase of deliberate and comprehensive planning. They are more like the kingmade cities of St. Petersburg and Madrid, or the more recent emperormade Paris. They grew up along lines of least resistance, writes Clinton R. Woodruff in the Atlantic, and in obedience to immediate needs with practically little thought of the future and none of the aesthetic side. Then came a period of awakening to civic consciousness and pride, leading to a dissatisfaction with existing conditions, and then an earnest desire for improvement.

A project which may have important results is to be undertaken in Boston, says the Herald of that city. The high school of commerce of that city is about to send a party of students to Brazil to study commercial relations and trade conditions in the southern country. The Brazilian government, with fine courtesy, has made arrangements by which these pupils may have free transportation over certain steamers and Brazilian railways and a reduced rate over other roads. In effect, this is offering the visitors every facility for getting about with ease and at moderate cost and for readily acquiring the knowledge of which the students are in search. Moreover, the facts indicate the Brazilians' readiness to meet our people in trade and to do everything possible to encourage the development of commerce between the sections.

Hetty Green has moved into rooms that cost her $15 a day. For a time doubtless she pondered over it, wondering if $15 wasn't all the money there was in the world; but on looking at her bank account she came to the conclusion that it wasn't. Hetty must be doing this as a means of self-punishment for something she has done, since it must give her a pain every moment she stays in her expensive quarters.

A New York paper, describing the visit of Mr. Andrew Carnegie to Lehigh university, to which he has just given a dormitory, says Mr. Carnegie was "met by the student body with the university band, composed of students, a large number of the alumni and the faculty." It is doubtful if any other American university could muster such a band, even though such newspaper English is common enough.

The kaiser's head will adorn the next issue of German postage stamps. Hitherto they have shown the symbolic figure of Germania. The hereditary monarchs of the federated states are growing accustomed to the idea of an empire under the rule of the kaiser, and have withdrawn their objection to the use of his portrait on the stamps.

They have a way of looking on the bright side of things in Oklahoma. When a citizen in the arid district lost a valuable colt by drowning a while ago, the local newspaper commented that it was "a fine thing to have water enough out on the Staked plain to drown a horse."

AS TO "RETREATS"

BRYAN'S CHARGES BOTH ILLOGICAL AND ABSURD.

Of No Plank in the Republican Platform Can It Justly Be Said That a Position Has Been Abandoned.

Mr. Bryan is unreasonable.

How could he reasonably expect the Republican convention to inject enough Populism and Socialism into its platform to suit him? If it had thus catered to Mr. Bryan it must have mortally offended its own party, shocked the common sense of the country and perhaps caused the defeat of Mr. Taft. And what would it profit the convention to please Mr. Bryan and lose an election? No, Mr. Bryan should be reasonable, and not grumble at a Republican platform for being Republican instead of Populistic. Why, even his own convention is likely to prove very refractory when it comes to going the whole hog with a platform Socialistic enough to suit Mr. Bryan.

Mr. Bryan also makes the singular complaint that the platform contains a series of "retreats."

But a "retreat" means an abandonment of a position previously occupied. In no single plank is there any such abandonments. To say, as Mr. Bryan does in effect, that the platform omission of this or that personal view of an individual was a retreat is nonsense. In several of the planks the party makes an advance. In no single one of them has it abandoned a position previously occupied.

Now as to "retreats," Mr. Bryan is on very thin ice when he makes that criticism.

He is notoriously the great retreater. He has retreated from free trade, he has retreated from free silver, he has retreated from government ownership. As a political crawfish in respect of abandoned positions he has no equal. That is the common charge against him. His flurried backward scramble from his Madison Square garden pronouncement when he found it did not "catch on" was one of the really comic incidents of his rendition of the rôle of Perpetual Candidate.

If Mr. Bryan had his normal quantum of the sense of humor he would be extremely shy of talking about "retreats."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

MAKES HIS POSITION PLAIN.

Mr. Taft and the Injunction Plank in the Platform.

The simple fact that Mr. Taft through his personal representatives urged the injunction plank upon the Republican convention is a sufficient refutation of the disingenuous plea that the declaration was revolutionary and a reflection upon the judiciary.

Secretary Taft is as far from being an advocate of disorder as he is from being a servant of special privilege. He exemplifies, moreover, the highest type of jurist which this country affords. His record on the bench is as distinguished as his service in executive channels. No one is better enabled than he to puncture the silly argument that to recognize limits to irresponsible and autocratic power in individual judges is to reflect upon the integrity of the courts.

But the discussion over this injunction plank has served the useful purpose of making Mr. Taft's own position known unequivocally to the entire people. He has made his own platform on this as on other issues of public moment, and with or without the injunction declaration as an expression of the convention's views the people will know exactly what to expect from Mr. Taft when they vote for him for president.

Qualities That Make Taft Strong.

Taft is lovable and popular and strong. The combination is happy.

Taft is broad, progressive and safe. The legislation urged by the president, but which was received sullenly by congress, will have in Taft a forceful advocate. He will see that it is fitted to the needs of the people and to the limitations of the constitution.

Roosevelt knows Taft. He said of him: "I do not believe there could be found in all the country a man so well fitted to be president. . . . He would be as emphatically a president of the plain people as Lincoln, yet not Lincoln himself would be freer from the least taint of demagogy, the least tendency to arouse or appeal to class hatred of any kind."

New York Safely Republican.

Mr. Sherman will aid materially in bringing support to the national ticket in that part of the state in which Republican majorities are made. He has the friendship and respect of the great mass of voters in the up-state Republican strongholds, and there is no active Republican politician above or below the Bronx who will not exert himself to the utmost to vindicate Mr. Sherman's choice as Mr. Taft's running mate on the national ticket. Victory in New York this fall is clinched by the nominations made at Chicago. —N. Y. Tribune.

In his second race Bryan carried only four northern states, all small, with a combined electoral vote of 13. Since then Colorado, Idaho, Nevada and Montana have been Republican. The Bryan electoral prospects offer no visible fighting chance.

He Ought to Know.

Says the Hon. David B. Hill, "There is no Democratic party." He ought to know; he was one of the principal undertakers.—N. Y. Tribune.

NOW TO WORK FOR VICTORY.

Harmony in Party Necessary for Republican Success.

Now for business. Judge Taft is the candidate by a wonderful demonstration, and there is business to be done.

No candid man will deny that the Republicans have need to be very much alive. Their leader's strength is much. Their platform is well constructed. The history they recite is impressive. But divisions exist in a number of states, all of which are necessary to Republican success in November. Those divisions should be healed at as early a day as possible, and Judge Taft is, on every account, the man to encourage and to direct the work.

In the first place, he wants to win. He has drawn a prize reckoned among the greatest. A nomination for president brings great gratification, but at the same time imposes great responsibility. Party followers look to the nominee for inspiration and suggestions. They work with all the more zeal when assured of his approval and support.

In the second place, Judge Taft has demonstrated talents for harmonizing serious differences. He is as much of a diplomat as executive. His triumph in the Philippines grew out of his ability to bring men of widely different views to act together. He handled dissensions in Cuba and in Panama with marked cleverness. It is easy to believe, therefore, that this power, which has been exercised so successfully on strangers and aliens, can be used as effectively on home folk.

It is Judge Taft's duty to bring all Republicans together. No more internecine warfare. All ammunition should be used against the common enemy, in New York, in Ohio, in Indiana, in Wisconsin, in Iowa, wherever Republicans have been hammering each other, that hammering, by Judge Taft's interposition, should cease. For this campaign, Hughes and anti-Hughes men, Foraker and anti-Foraker men, Cummins men and Allison men, La Follette men and anti-La Follette men, should all become Taft men, sinking personalities for the party's welfare.

As little should be heard henceforth about radicals and conservatives. In the sense that Judge Taft is a supporter of the president he is a radical, but likewise is it true that neither in his mental poise nor in his temperament does he offer anything that would make for the slightest alarm in the event of his elevation to the presidency. He can lead both factions with absolute sincerity, and if both follow him he will be the next president of the United States.

THE UNTHROWN.

—Washington Star.

Along the Isthmus.

President Amador is said to have suppressed the now famous letter of Secretary Taft in which that bumptious politician was given to understand that the doctrine of the square deal applies in Panama as well as every other inch of territory for which this government feels responsible. But everything is peaceful enough for the present along the isthmus. This, however, is not deceiving. A Chinese typhoon does not require less time for generation than a Latin American political revolt.

Everything may be as peaceful as a May morning until election day or the day after, and then the tall grass may blaze from the close firing of opposing elements. In that case there will be some quick work done by United States jackies. The dispatch of ships to the isthmus will be in line with the political insurance policy issued by this government to the world when recognition was given the new republic of Panama. But both at Cuba and Panama the determination of Uncle Sam may be counted upon to keep the hair-trigger insurrectionists from trying their old election tricks.

The Supreme Court.

The supreme court stands at the apex of a fine system of judiciary. It is more—it is the apex of a fine system of government. It is the voice of the American people interpreting law in relation to legislation, without regard to the persons or the interests affected. It is the most safely conservative and unimpassioned tribunal ever created among men.—Baltimore American.

And the man who makes an assault upon it is an undesirable citizen.

We infer from recent hasty utterances of Mr. Bryan that he is particularly displeased with the injunction plank in the Republican platform. Can it be that it was formulated without consulting him?

Col. Watterson says Bryan will carry Kentucky next November by a majority "all the way from 20,000 to 40,000." If you see it in the Courier-Journal it's in the Courier-Journal.

FLAMES SWEPT HARBOR'S FRONT

FIRE AT EAST BOSTON, MASS., CAUSES A LOSS OF NEARLY $1,500,000.

PIERS, WAREHOUSES, CARS

And a Grain Elevator Were Consumed, While Several Ships Narrowly Escaped Destruction—Two Lives Probably Lost.

Boston, Mass.—A fire, believed to have been caused by spontaneous combustion or a locomotive spark, swept nearly a quarter of a mile of the harbor front of East Boston late Wednesday, causing a property loss estimated at nearly $1,500,000. Much of the loss falls upon the Boston & Albany Railroad Co. Two persons are reported missing and it is thought that both perished in the flames. One of them was Daniel Sullivan, a watchman at the Cunard line pier, and the other was Miss Sadie Arnold, a clerk employed by the Cunard Steamship Co.

The fire was the biggest and most destructive that has broken out along the harbor front for many years. The flames spread with remarkable rapidity and by the time the first fire fighting apparatus arrived on the scene they were beyond control and leaping from pier to pier.

Within half an hour of the time the fire was discovered, four piers, three warehouses, a grain elevator containing 30,000 bushels of grain and many loaded freight cars had been destroyed.

Several vessels and lighters narrowly escaped destruction. The big Leyland line steamer Devonian was moored at one of the piers which was destroyed. The discipline on the Devonian was so excellent, however, that she was warped out into the stream without even having a square inch of paint blistered. Less fortunate were the British bark Belmont of Yarmouth, N. S., and the schooners Paul Palmer, a five-masted craft, and the O. H. Brown, a four-master.

The Belmont was moored by steel cables to the pier where the fire started. So quickly did the flames envelop the wharf and warehouse that it was impossible to slip the cables from the mooring posts, and it was necessary to resort to the tedious process of cutting a half dozen or more of the great wire ropes. By the time the Belmont was gotten out into the stream the paint had been burned off her steel hull, her cabins had been practically destroyed, her lifeboats charred and ruined and her spars, sails and rigging so badly burned as to make a complete new equipment necessary.

HITCHCOCK WILL BE LEADER.

Is Chosen Chairman of Republican National Committee—Sheldon to Be Treasurer.

Hot Springs, Va.—Frank H. Hitchcock of Massachusetts, chairman of the Republican national committee; George R. Sheldon of New York, treasurer of the national committee, and Arthur I. Vorys of Ohio, member of the national committee in charge of the Ohio Republican headquarters, which are to be in Cincinnati. This was the result of the meeting of the executive committee of the Republican national committee here Wednesday.

The designation of Mr. Vorys to be in charge of the campaign in Ohio is regarded as a solution of the embarrassment arising from the selection of Mr. Hitchcock in preference to Mr. Vorys. By this arrangement the campaign in Ohio will be in a sense separate from the balance of the country. Vorys will be accountable only to Taft.

The appointment of Mr. Sheldon as treasurer was a surprise and was accompanied by an element of mystery. Preceding the meeting of the executive committee discussion of the treasurership had centered upon Representative McKinley of Illinois, treasurer of the Republican congressional committee. It was generally believed by the leaders of the party who have been here to consult with Mr. Taft that he desired to have Mr. McKinley serve as treasurer of the national committee and had practically told him that he would have to submit to be "drafted" for that position.

Mr. Sheldon's appointment was upon the recommendation of Cornelius N. Bliss, treasurer of the committee since 1892. It is also stated that his selection has the approval of President Roosevelt, with whom he was a classmate at Harvard. Mr. Sheldon is a close personal friend of Mr. Bliss.

Forest Fires on Long Island.

New York City.—Hundreds of men are fighting a forest fire which is burning through the center of Long Island, near Eastport. Several small dwellings at isolated points have been consumed.

Preston Declines the Honor.

New York City.—Martin R. Preston, who was nominated for president of the United States by the Socialist-Labor party while serving a 25-year term in prison, has declined to accept the nomination.

FULL PUBLICITY IS PROMISED

STATEMENT BY MR. TAFT AS TO CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS.

Republican National Committee Will Comply With the Laws of New York State.

Hot Springs, Va.—That the publicity of campaign funds is to be made a feature of the coming campaign was made very clear here Friday. Mr. Taft had extended talks with Chairman Hitchcock and George R. Sheldon, treasurer of the national committee, and the necessity for the strictest possible compliance with the New York law in relation to the publicity of campaign funds of the national committee was the chief topic.

Referring to suggestions that the Republican party might receive funds outside of New York and not include them in the report of the national treasurer, Mr. Taft replied promptly that it was possible to commit perjury in such a case, but he scouted the idea that the purpose of giving publicity to the funds of the party in the coming national campaign is not entirely sincere. Mr. Sheldon also declared that the New York law in respect to all the funds that come to the national committee in whatever state they may be collected will be published, with the names of the donors.

Mr. Sheldon said he believed that money for campaign purposes would be very "tight" this year, but he did not believe the publicity of campaign funds would lessen the amount contributed. He declared that compliance with the law in this respect would dispel the popular idea that a vast amount of money is spent in national campaigns.

WITH NOISE AND FIREWORKS

Cincinnati Will Celebrate on the Day that Taft Is Officially Notified of His Nomination.

Cincinnati, O.—At a meeting on Friday of the committee in charge of the reception that will be extended to William H. Taft on July 28 when he is formally advised of his nomination for the presidency, the following program was agreed upon:

At 7 o'clock in the morning of July 28 there will be salutes of 20 guns or more, fired from the hilltops. At 8 o'clock bands in the parks, squares and at prominent corners will begin to make melody, and they will keep at it all day. At 10 o'clock a flag will be presented by the city of Cincinnati to Charles P. Taft, brother of the nominee, to be unfurled over the Taft residence on Pike street when the nominee is in Cincinnati. This presentation will be made at Taft home.

At 11 o'clock the notification committee will be escorted to the Taft residence and on a temporary platform Mr. Taft will hear the formal word that he is the Republican party's choice for president. There will be but two speeches, that of Senator Warner of Missouri, giving notification to Mr. Taft, and that of acceptance by the nominee.

At 1:30 p. m. marching clubs will pass in review and then a public reception will be held. This will be followed by a luncheon to the notification committee given by Charles P. Taft. After luncheon the visiting committee will be taken in automobiles over the city.

At 5 o'clock several thousand balloons will be sent up and at 8 o'clock there will be an immense display of fireworks from the river bridges and craft in the harbor. The public landing will be roped off for the populace, while Mr. and Mrs. Taft and the notification committee will view the fireworks from the steamer Island Queen.

SMALL GAINS ARE NOTED.

Each Week Brings Increased Manufacturing Activity.

New York City.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says:

Further small net gains are recorded in commercial progress, favorable reports predominating, although the tendency is by no means definite. In many lines of trade the dullness of midsummer is unusually intense, but each week brings increased manufacturing activity and instances are noted of orders for fall goods placed too late for delivery at specified dates.

More business is coming to the iron furnaces and steel mills, although orders are usually for small quantities, but a good sign is the increase of specifications on old contracts. This extends even to billets, which have been notably quiet for several months. Sales of steel bars during June attained surprising dimensions.

Structural shapes move more freely, several large undertakings and numerous small bridges or buildings calling for a substantial tonnage.

Textile mills are still curtailing output, especially in New England, but gradual improvement is noted in some departments.

Redskins Go on the Warpath.

Bisbee, Ariz.—An uprising of Navajos in New Mexico is reported and 30 soldiers with machine guns have been sent from Fort Huachuca to Fort Wingate, N. M., to aid the troops stationed there.

Branded Her Son With an Iron.

New York City.—Asserting that her 6-year-old son, Charles Goodsall, was the Messiah, his mother, Mrs. Grace Goodsall, branded him for life on the forehead and throat with a red hot iron.

HEALTH BRINGS HAPPINESS.

Invalid Once, a Happy Woman Now

Mrs. C. R. Shelton, Pleasant Street Covington, Tenn., says: "Once I seemed a helpless invalid, but now I enjoy the best of health. Kidney disease brought me down terribly. Rheumatic aches and pains made every move painful. The secretions were disordered and my head ached to distraction. I was in a bad condition, but medicines failed to help. I lost ground daily until I began with Doan's Kidney Pills. They helped me at once and soon made me strong and well."

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Up to His Tricks.

Lord Rosslyn, at a dinner in New York, said of a notorious London spendthrift:

"When he was at Oxford he wired once to his uncle, whose heir he was:

"'If you don't send me a hundred by Saturday, I'll blow my brains out.'

"His uncle wired back:

"'You telegraphed me that before, and when I forwarded you my best revolver, you went and pawned it.'"

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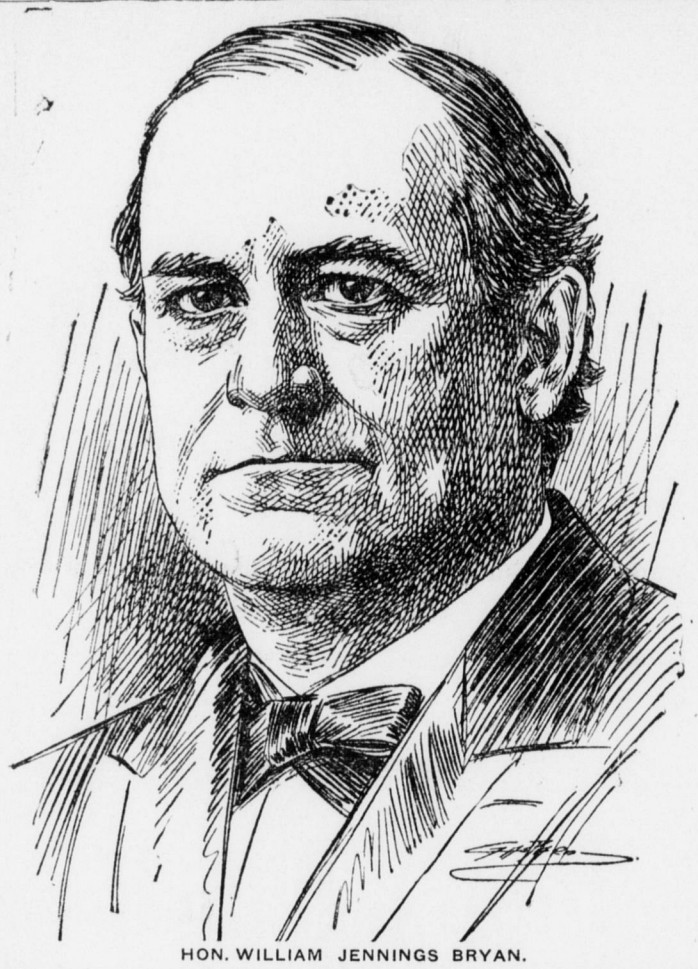

HON. WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN.

HON. W. J. BRYAN CHOSEN AS STANDARD BEARER FOR THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY

AFTER AN ALL NIGHT SESSION THE NEBRASKA MAN IS NAMED ON THE FIRST BALLOT BY A VOTE OF 892 1-2—LATER HIS NOMINATION MADE UNANIMOUS.

JOHN W. KERN OF INDIANA IS NAMED AS BRYAN'S RUNNING MATE—GREAT ENTHUSIASM MARKED THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE NATIONAL CONVENTION.

Denver, Col.—William Jennings Bryan was Friday morning nominated for president of the United States by the Democratic national convention. The nomination was made at 3:40 o'clock amid scenes of tumultous enthusiasm, the vast assemblage breaking en masse into a frenzied demonstration of intensely dramatic tribute to the chosen leader. The first and

IGNATIUS J. DUNN

only ballot gave Bryan the commanding and decisive total of 892½ votes, or 221 more than enough to nominate, with Gray 59½, Johnson 46.

The announcement was greeted with a perfect pandemonium of sound and motion, floor and galleries joining in deafening, long continued tumult.

The decisive ballot was followed, at the first lull, with motions from the Gray and Johnson leaders to make the nomination unanimous and by acclamation, which was carried with an echoing chorus of approval in which every state joined its voice, with but one dissenting vote from the state of Georgia.

Denver, Col.—Two sessions of the Democratic national convention, the first at 11 o'clock Thursday and the second beginning at 7 p. m, advanced the work well nigh to completion. The opening session lasted three hours and brought about the completion of the permanent organization of the convention, with the address of Congressman Clayton of Alabama, permanent chairman of the convention.

The address of Chairman Clayton was a caustic arraignment of the failure of Roosevelt policies and an enunciation of Democratic doctrine. The ringing voice of the orator and the emphasis of his gestures started the listening thousands to frequent demonstrations of enthusiastic approval. At 2:30 the convention took a recess until evening.

The defeat of Col. J. M. Guffey of Pittsburg, national committeeman from Pennsylvania, as a candidate for re-election was accomplished by the faction headed by James Kerr of Clearfield, at a meeting held in the convention auditorium immediately following the adjournment of the first session of the convention.

At the night session the convention proceeded to the nomination of a candidate for president of the United States, the nominating and seconding speeches being made.

The speech placing William J. Bryan in nomination awakened a whirlwind of demonstration rivaling in intensity and duration the record breaking tribute of Wednesday.

The names of George Gray of Delaware and of Gov. Johnson of Minnesota were also placed in nomination with demonstrations of approval from their limited followings.

The speech placing Willinm J. Bryan in nomination was made by Ignatius J. Dunn of Nebraska, a youthful orator of fire and eloquence, whose closing phrase stirred the vast assemblage to a wild demonstration.

"I nominate," he exclaimed, "as the standard bearer of our party the man who in the thrilling days of '96 and 1900 bore the battle scarred banner of Democracy with fame as untarnished as the crusaders of old—America's great commoner, Nebraska's gifted son, William J. Bryan."

Immediately a perfect pandemonium of sound and motion was unloosed as delegates and spectators rose en masse and joined in the chorus of tribute to the Nebraska candidate.

The standards of the states were wrenched from their places and borne through the hall to the platform, while banners bearing Bryan's portrait were waved aloft and the multitude joined in long continued tribute. At times the intensity of the demonstration threatened a panic.

The platform was adopted at 1 o'clock Friday morning and then followed a number of seconding speeches.

Henry D. Clayton.
Permanent Chairman of Convention.

KERN FOR VICE PRESIDENT.

Denver, Col.—The Democratic national convention concluded its labors late Friday afternoon by the nomination of John Worth Kern of Indiana for vice president, completing the ticket on which William Jennings Bryan was made the nominee for president during the early hours of Friday morning. The nomination of Kern was made by acclamation amid the cheers of delegates and spectators. No ballot was necessary, as the tide of sentiment set irresistibly toward the Indiana candidate, state after state registering their delegations in his favor and all other candidates withdrawing before the universal demand for his nomination.

The convention, after adjourning at daylight with the nomination of Mr. Bryan, resumed its session at 1 p. m. On the call of states Indiana presented the name of Kern; Colorado through ex-Gov. Thomas placed in nomination Charles A. Towne of New York; Connecticut presented Archibald McNeil, and Georgia, Clark Howell.

The withdrawal of the Connecticut candidate was accompanied by a motion that the nomination of Kern be made by acclamation. The motion was carried with a deafening shout and the great assemblage broke into clamorous demonstration on the accomplishment of its work and the completion of the national ticket.

The nomination was made at 4:23 o'clock and the convention thereupon adjourned without delay. The Democratic national committee will assemble to-day to complete its new organization and to select a chairman, who will be the commander-in-chief of the Democratic forces in the campaign.

Indianapolis, Ind.—John W. Kern was born December 20, 1849, at the village of Alto, Howard county, Indiana. His father, Dr. Jacob W. Kern, was a Virginian by birth who removed to Shelby county in 1836 and lived there until 1846, when he moved into the new northern county.

John Kern's mother was Nancy Liggett and she and Dr. Kern were married in Warren county, Ohio. In 1854, when John was 5 years old, the family removed to Warren county, Iowa. From the time he went to Iowa until he was 15 years old he did not see a railroad train. The family moved back to Howard county in 1864. In the 60's, while still in Iowa, Mrs. Kern died.

Two children were left, John and his sister, who is now Mrs. Isaac Engel of Dansville, Va. John was educated in the district schools and he continued this education by attending the Indiana Normal school at Kokomo, riding horseback ten miles each way every day. Later he taught school near Alto. He earned money to enter Ann Arbor, graduating from the law department of Michigan university in 1869. He immediately began practicing in Kokomo. He was "drafted" when he was 21 years old to make the race for the legislature in the Republican county of Howard, but was defeated. He was chosen city attorney of Kokomo for six terms over Republican aspirants.

In 1884 he was elected reporter of the supreme court. He has worked in every campaign, served the county in the legislature and was the leader of his party in the state senate. He was city attorney under the last two administrations of Mayor Thomas Taggart from October, 1897, to October, 1901. In 1900 he was nominated for governor, but was defeated.

Lincoln, Neb. — Immediately after Bryan received positive assurance of his nomination he gave out this statement:

"The presidency is the highest official position in the world and no one occupying it can afford to have his views upon public questions biased by personal ambition. Recognizing his responsibility and his obligations to his countrymen, he should enter upon the discharge of his duty with singleness of purpose. Believing that one can best do this when he is not planning for a second term, I announce now, as I have on former occasions, that if elected I shall not be a candidate for re-election."

FIRST DAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

Denver, Col.—With cheers from 10,000 throats, with the swell of political oratory and the inspiring spectacle of a vast multitude of people, the Democratic national convention began its deliberations Tuesday. The session, lasting a little over two hours, was more notable for its spectacular effects than for the business accomplished. It gave, however, the opportunity for the awakening echoes of convention enthusiasm, the keynote speech of the temporary presiding officer, Theodore A. Bell of California, a heated skirmish incidental to the contest in the Pennsylvania delegation, and finally a unanimous tribute of homage and respect to the memory of the late Grover Cleveland.

SECOND DAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

Denver, Col. — Two sessions of the Democratic national convention were held Wednesday, the first at noon producing a Bryan demonstration breaking all records in duration, the second at 8 p. m., being the culmination of the struggle over the credentials of the Pennsylvania delegation and the supremacy of the Pennsylvania leader, Col. Guffey, who has been denounced by Mr. Bryan.

The committee on credentials concluded its labors shortly after 10 o'clock Wednesday, after having been in continuous session since 5 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. No attempt was made to restrict the time for the presentation of evidence in the various contests, the proceedings in which were all conducted with open doors. The Ohio and Pennsylvania cases provoked much bitterness from the opposing sides.

Col. James M. Guffey of Pittsburg went down to defeat before the committee in all his contested cases, the contestants all being seated by a vote of 27 to 15.

The Nineteenth Ohio district again was given to Tom Johnson of Cleveland, who appeared in the committee room and made a strong plea that the action of the national committee might be sustained.

Some Divorce Statistics.

Cleveland, O. — Divorces granted in this county in the year ended June 30, 1907, numbered 770; in the year ended June 30, this year, 806. To wives were granted in the last year 618 divorces; to husbands, 188. In ten cases only were wives refused divorces from husbands; in 13 cases husbands were refused divorces from wives. Wives relented in 200 cases, after they had filed suits against husbands, and dismissed the proceedings in court. Husbands did likewise in 54 cases.

Labor Leaders Are Sued for Damages

Denver, Col.—While Samuel Gompers, John Mitchell, John H. Lennon, Frank Morrison, Joseph Valentine, James Duncan and Max Morris were holding a conference on labor matters Friday, Deputy Sheriff Lawson served them with papers to appear as defendants in a suit brought by the W. R. Thompson Marble Co. against them as leading officers of the American Federation of Labor, for $50,000 for alleged damages to its business by a strike and also a boycott.

A Close Call for Minister O'Brien.

La Paz, Bolivia. — Details received here of the revolution in Paraguay state that while fighting was going on in Asuncion an incident occurred which might have had a most serious result. The American minister, Edward C. O'Brien, desirous of proffering his good offices in order to prevent further loss of life, while approaching the headquarters of the revolutionists was fired upon three times by government troops. The minister's escape was miraculous, as many persons were killed

Picked Up in Pennsylvania

BUTLER.—Another big gusher has been struck in the McBride field near the Harry N. Hoffman well.

OIL CITY.—Carl Mellweg, aged 10 years, fell into an oil tank and was drowned in the fluid, which was two feet deep.

BEAVER FALLS.—A bulldog attacked the 8-year-old daughter of Mrs. Peter Clear, frightfully lacerating the child's legs.

UNIONTOWN.—Thieves entered the stables of L. L. Johnson and Detective William Briscoe at New Salem and stole two horses each valued at $500.

ALTOONA.—Chester Hamer, aged 16, of Altoona and a young companion named Kauffman were drowned in the Juniata river near Ryde Station.

HARRISBURG. — The state's disbursements last month were the largest in years, reaching $3,026,979.93, of which $753,743.28 was for the schools.

GREENSBURG. — John Byers, son of F. H. Byers of Greensburg, has been appointed a cadet at the Annapolis Naval academy, and has successfully passed the examination.

CHESTER. — During a quarrel at Trainer, David Murphy, jr., shot and killed Deputy Sheriff Darwin Spence. Spence shot twice at Murphy, once wounding him in the shoulder.

BEAVER FALLS.—Mrs. Ellen Miller Ruby, aged 45, mother of Frank Ruby, who was killed by a train at New Castle, died here from shock following the news of her son's death.

GREENSBURG.—Cramps caused a rupture of a blood vessel, from which John F. Hummel died within an hour. Mr. Hummel was 75 years of age and had held several municipal offices.

UNIONTOWN.—Charged with practicing medicine and surgery without a license and being indirectly responsible for the death of Elizabeth Carpete, Mrs. Anna Bogush, a Slavish woman of Briar Hill, was committed to jail.

SOMERSET.—Judge Kooser granted a preliminary injunction restraining the Pennsylvania & Maryland Street Railway Co. from crossing the tracks of the Salisbury branch of the Baltimore & Ohio at Kreitzburg crossing.

READING.—William Burns, an ironworker out of employment, dropped dead in his cell at the police station from the shock due to his arrest, it is believed. He was sleeping on a bench in the city park when taken into custody.

ALTOONA.—Miss Nettie Williams of Pittsburg while walking in the suburbs was attacked by blackbirds because of bright red plumage worn on her hat. The birds furiously tore out the colored feathers and badly gashed the wearer's face.

GREENBURG. — It is announced that depositors of the defunct Farmers and Merchants' National bank at Mount Pleasant will receive a dividend of 25 per cent within the next 30 days. The bank closed last October and this is the first payment.

HARRISBURG. — Thomas Alsan, a Swede, is living in the Harrisburg hospital with eight wounds in his abdomen. He was found mysteriously shot at his home. Physicians say that life is remarkable, considering the perforations of his intestines.

REYNOLDSVILLE. — Beneath an apple tree where they fell, one murdered, the other a suicide, the dead bodies of Reed W. Broscius and his wife, both well known in this section of Jefferson county, were found by Coroner J. C. Sayers and brought to Reynoldsville.

WASHINGTON.—Washington and vicinity are suffering from a drouth. Unless there is soon rain injury to crops is feared. During June the total rainfall for Washington and vicinity was only two inches. In other parts of the county there has been rain in abundance.

MEADVILLE. — Frank Curty, 40 years old, a contracting painter, was instantly killed by an Erie freight train. Curty and a friend fished in French creek all night and attempted to continue the sport through the day without rest. Curty sat down on the end of a railroad tie to rest and wait for his companion. He fell asleep on the track.

WEST NEWTON. — Darr mine of the Pittsburg Coal Co. at Jacobs Creek, where over 300 men met their death in an explosion last December, will probably resume operations for the first time since the catastrophe.

HARRISBURG. — Dairy and Food Commissioner Foust's monthly bulletin contains a financial statement showing that since the first of the year $32,549.29 has been paid into the treasury from oleo licenses. This is the largest sum ever received in this period.

CONNELLSVILLE.—A slip at the Dunbar Furnace Co. here burned five men, two of them critically.

WASHINGTON. — An oil tank on the Charles Harvey farm, near Graysville, containing over one thousand barrels of oil was struck by lightning and destroyed.

REYNOLDSVILLE.—George Adam was probably fatally injured in a brawl at Pardus, a mining town near here, when one side of his head was crushed by a brick.

PHILADELPHIA. — Two men were burned to death and two others injured in a fire following an explosion on the oiltank barge Shenango, undergoing repairs at Cramp's shipyard.

ALTOONA.—Harry L. Nicholson, one of Altoona's prominent and wealthy citizens, dropped dead on the streets of Hollidaysburg while running to catch a street car for his home.

LATROBE.—A barn owned by Joseph Eaton was struck by lightning and destroyed by fire, together with a calf, chickens, farming implements and 18 tons of hay. The loss is $2,500.

WILKESBARRE.—Carrying his amputated leg in his arms, John Ortkuski, who had it cut off on the Lehigh Valley railroad, crawled a quarter of a mile in an effort to reach White Haven.

WASHINGTON.—While wrestling on a towboat in the Monongahela river below Frederickstown George Davis and James Murphy fell overboard and the former was drowned. Neither was able to swim.

WASHINGTON.—Returning to his home from Washington, William Bane, a dairyman of 84, met death. His body was found by the roadside. His neck was broken and it is supposed he was thrown from his buggy.

ERIE.—Tony Boza, a ealthy fruit dealer, was shot and killed by an unknown. The shots were heard shortly after Boza left his place of business and he was found mortally wounded in the street, dying on the way to the hospital.

SCRANTON.—The residence of the Rev. Father Karparski, pastor of the Polish Lithuanian Catholic church at Archbald, was dynamited. The porch was torn away and the house badly wrecked, but none of the occupants suffered serious injury.

WASHINGTON.—Not content with the Fourth of July display here two little boys, a tank of oil and a creek gave Washington's population a series of hair-raising pyrotechnics, burned a bridge, stopped a passenger train and injured several persons.

LATROBE. — Andrew Rynosky fell between a loaded trip in the Baggaley mines, sustaining injuries which resulted fatally. Nicholas Demano was caught beneath a fall of slate in the Hostetter mines, sustaining compound fractures of both legs and internal injuries.

DUBOIS.—Mary Olson, a young woman 18 years old, died in this city the victim of reckless firecracker shooting. While Miss Olson was walking along the street a boy threw a package of lighted crackers at her feet. Before she could get away her clothing caught fire. She was frightfully burned.

LATROBE.—An old-fashioned navy pistol which William N. Wolf was using in a hunt for groundhogs exploded, the fragments of metal flying in every direction. One piece struck Wolf in the thigh, embedding itself in the hip joint, and another cut a deep gash in his head. A third cut a gash in his son's head.

TITUSVILLE.—A terrific storm broke over Forest county. The county is just emerging from the ruin. The Pennsylvania railroad from Tionesta to Tidioute was blockaded by washouts and slides. The great dam of Wheeler & Duzenberry, at Endeavor, broke, letting out 4,000,000 feet of timber, about half of which has been recovered.

ALTOONA. — The Pennsylvania Railroad Co., after two years' experimenting, has completed in its local shops an electrical baggage truck. It is nine feet long, 42 inches wide, 36 inches high and weighs 2,200 pounds. It can be steered at either end from a platform, which folds automatically, and all four wheels can be manipulated at the same time, making turns easy on narrow platforms.

YORK.—A pet kitten cost the life of Mabel Seiple, daughter of Ira Seiple. The girl tried to rescue the cat from a pile of railroad ties which she feared would fall upon it. Instead, she started the ties rolling and was herself crushed to death.

BEAVER FALLS.—Thieves entered the home of Gazel Bensky, stealing all his eatables and a case of beer. At the home of Antonio Vorselo they took a child's bank and provisions. A thief stole Mrs. Alice Smith's pocketbook containing $14.

SOMEWHAT SUSPICIOUS.

Of course, it may be all right—still, you don't feel inclined to eat sausages when you find your butcher has removed to a shop next door to the Home for Lost Dogs, do you?

DOCTOR SAID "USE CUTICURA"

In Bad Case of Eczema on Child—Disease Had Reached a Fearful State—His Order Resulted in Complete Cure.

"When I was small I was troubled with eczema for about three months. It was all over my face and covered nearly all of my head. It reached such a state that it was just a large scab all over, and the pain and itching were terrible. I doctored with an able physician for some time and was then advised by him to use the Cuticura Remedies which I did and I was entirely cured. I have not been bothered with it since. I used Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment but do not know exactly how much was used to complete the cure. I can safely say that Cuticura did a lot for me. Miss Anabel Wilson, North Branch, Mich., Oct. 20. 1907."

Wouldn't Go Alone.

At a recent entertainment in a colored church of Washington the master of ceremonies made this unusual announcement:

"Miss Bolter will sing 'Oh, that I had wings like a dove, for then would I fly away and be at rest,' accompanied by Rev. Dr. E. F. Botts."

Sounds Dubious.

Citizen (proudly)—This is a city without graft.

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Mrs. Frank Stroebe, R. F. D. 1, Appleton, Wis., writes: "I began using Peruna a few months ago, when my health and strength were all gone, and I was nothing but a *nervous wreck*, could not sleep, eat or rest properly, and felt no desire to live. Peruna made me look at life in a different light, as I began to regain my lost strength.

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Insist on Libby's at your dealers.

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For President,
WILLIAM HOWARD TAFT,
of Ohio.
For Vice President,
JAMES SCHOOLCRAFT SHERMAN,
of New York.
For Congressman,
CHARLES F. BARCLAY,
of Sinnamahoning, Pa.
For Assembly,
JOSIAH HOWARD,
of Emporium.
For Associate Judge,
JOHN A. WYKOFF,
of Grove.
For Sheriff,
FRANK G. JUDD,
of Emporium.
For County Commissioners,
S. P. KREIDER,
of Driftwood.
J. W. LEWIS,
of Shippen.
For County Auditors,
T. E. FULTON,
of Grove.
GEO. A. WALKER, JR.,
of Emporium.

Breezy County News

GROVE HILL.

Dr. W. H Mitchell, Dentist, Emporium, Pa. Over Vogt's shoe store

Darius Ives, who is working at Hicks Run, is at home this week doing his haying.

Albert Jordan and Henry Hill are driving the potato bugs off the Hill.

The Driftwood callers this week were A. H. Jordan, Mrs. G. S. Hill, Elmer Hill, Marion Hill and Ethel Hill,

H. P. Hill has just finished sowing 10 acres of buckwheat.

Elmer Hill and his sister Audrey have returned from Medix Run, where they were spending the 4th. They report a fine time.

We are having some very warm weather, thermometer registering 99° in the shade.

The wheat crop on the Hill is about ready to harvest. It is a fine crop this year.

Apples in this section were much damaged by the dry weather.

We were blessed with a fine rain Sunday which means a great deal to the farmers.

Thomas Hill and son Marion called on G. S. Hill and family Sunday.

Henry Hill and daughter Carrie made a business trip to Driftwood this week.

Mrs. H. P. Hill is quite ill at this writing.

Freddie Hill, son of Henry Hill, will begin school at Huntley this coming term.

M. H.

STERLING RUN.

Mr. Oliver and wife of Philadelphia, visited J. A. Dice and family Tuesday.

John Schwab and wife of Cameron, visited in town Sunday.

Wm. Berry killed a valuable Scotch coolie dog belonging to Mrs. Lewis Monday, by running his horse and buggy over it.

Mrs. Heilman of Emporium was the guest of Miss Mabel Wylie the past week.

Mrs. Jos. Burns and family were Renovo visitors this week.

Mrs. Jos. Shaffer and son of Mt. Carmel, visited Mrs. D. E. Spangler Saturday.

Oscar Norburg and wife of Driftwood visited his parents, John Anderson and wife Sunday.

Mrs. Maggie Chapman returned home Saturday from a visit with her son at McKees Rocks.

A. H. Farr of Emporium, was in town a few days this week plastering for Mrs. Lewis.

BLUE BELL.

CAMERON.

Dr. H. W. Mitchell, dentist, Emporium, Pa. Over Vogt's Shoe Store.

Hon. F. X. Blumle, of Emporium, was a business caller in this place this week.

The much needed rain came at last but too late for the early crops.

Quite a number of Emporium berry pickers are seen in this place daily and report good luck.

B. Egan, of Emporium, made a trip to this place Tuesday.

Wm. Fox, who recently opened a meat market in this place is proving very successful, and is building up trade fast. The market was needed badly in this place, and the people in general hope for the best of success for him.

Edwin McFadden was suddenly attacked with sudden illness Tuesday, p. m., while sitting in a chair at the New Cameron House, of which he is proprietor. Dr. Smith, of Emporium, was immediately called and was successful in rallying him. He is reported improving.

Robt Graham is digging his early potatoes and reports a fair crop, in accordance with the dry weather which we have had.

Dr. W. H. Mitchell, Dentist, Emporium, Pa. Over Vogt's shoe store.

LOUISE.

HUNTLEY.

Dr. W. H. Mitchell, Dentist, Emporium, Pa. Over Vogt's shoe store.

Chas. F. Collins and family, of Hicks Run, spent Sunday with B. J. Collins and family.

The Driftwood callers this week were Levi Smith, Geo. Wylie, Walter Logue and W. H. Smith.

Overseer of the Poor C. J. Miller, took in the ball game at Driftwood Saturday. He says that the Huntley team can beat either team if Thomas Hill can be induced to coach for them.

J. E. Johnson was a business caller in Emporium this week.

Phineas Johnson and family, of First Fork, are visiting the former's parents.

John Drivas, of Sinnamahoning, visited relatives in town Saturday.

The berry pickers report plenty of black raspberries on the mountains and are returning will full pails.

Mrs. H. E. Johnson, of Renovo, visited at J. L. Johnson's Thursday.

William Kailborn was a business caller in Sterling Run Saturday.

Thomas Kailborn has picked five bushels of berries since last Monday and says business is good.

The fine rain Sunday has helped the potatoes and corn very much but we can stand another good storm.

Rev. Mr. Hall, wife and child, of Houghton, N. Y., are the guests of J. S. Jordan. Rev. Hall has been appointed to fill the Castle Garden and Huntley circuit and will locate at Castle Garden. He delivered a fine sermon at the Huntley Church Sunday, to an appreciative congregation. He is an able speaker and an earnest worker and will be warmly welcomed by his congregation.

Dr. W. H. Mitchell, Dentist, Emporium, Pa Over Vogt's shoe store.

J. F. S.

Catarrh Cannot be Cured.

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Use DeWitt's Little Early Risers pleasant little pills that are easy to take Sold by R. C. Dodson.

AUDITORS' REPORT

Of Shippen Township School District, for the Year Ending June 1908.

H. J. NEWTON, Treasurer, in account with Shippen School Fund.

DR.

Received from M. Goodwin	$1,754 40
Received from County Treasurer	5,211 00
Received from state appropriation	1,850 52
Received from N. A. Ostrum, Coll.	1,661 12
Received from sale of N. C. School H.	75 00
Received from Chauncy Barr	10 00
Received from S. G. Ostrum	50
Received from Com'sioner of Forestry	87 90
	$10,650 44

CR.

By paid teachers	$6,685 00
By paid for supplies	405 67
By paid teachers attending institute	190 00
By paid for wood	311 91
By paid for coal	34 38
By paid for gas	80 65
By paid for work	73 30
By paid for insurance	96 47
By paid for hardware	101 20
By paid for auditing; 3 copies report	23 00
By paid for pr nting report	24 00
By paid Directors Convention	10 08
By paid for Janitor	10 00
By paid for oaths	75
By paid for truant officer	6 00
By paid for livery	4 00
By paid tax refunding orders	6 24
By paid for furniture	9 67
By paid for plumbing	7 90
By Paid for postage	5 00
By paid for Sec'ys salary	50 00
By paid for Treasurers commission	162 70
Balance due Shippen School	2,352 52
	10,650 44
Balance due Shippen School	$2,352 52

H. J. NEWTON, Treasurer, in account with Shippen School Building.

DR.

Received from M. Goodwin	$1,455 88
Received from County Treas.	107 00
	$1,562 85

CR.

By paid for building N. C. school house	$523 99
By paid for lumber	161 74
By paid T. Waddington, North Creek school house	100 00
By paid for T. Waddington West Creek school house	30 00
By paid for seats	82 20
By paid for hardware	97 60
By paid for land for North Creek S. H.	75 00
By paid for work	218 75
By paid for insurance	22 75
By paid for White washing	18 75
By paid for advertising	8 00
By paid for Recording deeds and oaths	2 75
By paid Treas. commission	27 03
Balance due Shippen School Building	184 32
	$1,562 88
Balance due Shippen School Building	$184 32

H. J. NEWTON, Treasurer, in account with Shippen School Bond.

DR.

Received from County Treasurer	$176 00
Balance due School Bond	176 00

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF SHIPPEN SCHOOL DISTRICT.

ASSETS.

Balance due School	$2 352 52
Balance due School Building	184 32
Balance due School Bond	176 00
Balance due on unseated tax	663 01
Due on judgment of P. S. Culver	113 00
	$3,428 85

LIABILITIES.

Outstanding order No. 118	$5 43
Outstanding order No. 173	75 00
Bills of American Book Co.	235 89
	$316 32
Assets over Liabilities	$3,112 53

This is to certify that we the undersigned, auditors of Shippen township, have audited, adjusted and settled the accounts of H. J. Newton, Treasurer of Shippen School, School Building and School Bond and find them as stated above.

Witness our hands this 30th day of June, 1908.

WM. R. JOHNSON,
F. X. BLUMLE,
CLAUDE E. LYON,
Auditors.

Executors' Notice.

Estate of JENNIE P. WEBSTER, late of Emporium, Pa., Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that letters testamentary upon the estate of said decedent have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay, to

CHARLES L. JONES,
AUSTIN H. JONES,
Executors.

F. D. LEET, Attorney.
Emporium, Pa., June 22, 1908.—21-4t.

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EMPORIUM TELEPHONE COMPANY.

Syracuse, N. Y., July 14, 1908.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS:

You are hereby notified that the annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Emporium Telephone Company will be held at offices of the Company at Emporium, Pa., on Tuesday, August 4th, at eight o'clock, p. m. for the purpose of electing directors and inspectors of election for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Respectfully,
S. C. ORMSBEE, Secretary.
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7.50	Dresses for	3 69
11.00	Dresses for	4 75
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16.15	Dresses for	7.75
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All sizes and styles.

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To wear clothes that are just a little different from the rest, you want to look at, and try on some of our latest varsity suits, made expressly for us by

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Emporium, Pa., July 16, 1908.

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Felt's Fancy, "	1 60
Pet Grove, "	1 60
Graham, "	70
Rye, "	80
Patent Meal, "	50
Coarse Meal per 100,	1 70
Chop Feed, "	1 70
Cracked Corn per 100	1 70
Screenings "	1 70
Oil Meal "	1 85
Middlings,	1 70
Bran,	1 60
Chicken Wheat,	
Corn per bushel,	95
White Oats, per bushel,	70
Oyster Shells, per 100	75
Seed Oats per bushel	
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LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Contributions invited. That which you would like to see in this department, let us know by postal card or letter, personally.

District Attorney Jas. P. McNarney makes it hot for evil doers when he gets after them.

Miss Bertha Whaley is spending a three weeks vacation visiting relatives at Buffalo, N. Y.

Thomas Ford, of Bennets Branch, one of the old time lumbermen, of this county, visited in town on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Angevine, of this place, attended the Roberts family reunion at Sweden Hill, Potter county, recently.

Miss May Carpenter, of Ulysses, Pa., is guest of her aunt, Mrs. R. M. Overhiser and having a nice time with the young people.

Wm. Kailburn, of Driftwood, made the PRESS office a business call last Saturday and added his name to our subscription list.

Miss Mary Davison, of Ridgway, is visiting in town, guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Strayer and family, East Allegheny Avenue.

Geo. F. Eckstein, for fourteen years an industrious citizen of this place, was a PRESS caller Friday evening, renewing his paper for another year.

Mrs. L. A. Cowing and son, of Watkins, N. Y., are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Gross. Mrs. Cowing is the daughter of Mrs. Gross.

Mrs. White and son Karl and Miss Zimmer, of Gardeau, visited in Emporium the past week, guests of their sister and family, Mrs. Alice Heideck, East Sixth street.

The Loyal Mission Band of the Methodist Church, will hold an ice cream social on parsonage lawn, Thursday evening, June 16. All are cordially invited to attend.

Michael Murphy, of Bolivar, N. Y., visited in Emporium over Sunday, looking after his business interests here. The PRESS received a social call from our old friend.

Clyde Lewis, of Shippen township, an industrious young man was a PRESS visitor on Saturday and transacted business for his father, Mr. Lyman Lewis, one of our most respected friends and subscribers.

One of our Gibson township friends, Mr. B. J. Collins, was a PRESS caller on Saturday. We regret to learn that our friend's wife, who has been sick for a long time, is in a very precarious condition.

J. H. Fry, of Sinnamahoning, was a PRESS caller Monday evening, while transacting business in Emporium. Our old friend is a Simon pure Democrat, one of those old school Jackson democrats, but a pretty decent democrat for all that. He is now one of Gibson's Supervisors and if things don't go on right he will know the reason.

Our Soldier Boys will return on Friday.

Rockwell's new drug store sign is a beauty.

J. Pitt Felt and family have returned from Florida.

Charles Mulliner is visiting old acquaintances in town this week.

Hubert Brady departed last Tuesday for Toledo, Ohio, and will be absent for some time.

Messrs. G. M. Smutz and A. F. Vogt, were visitors at the camp at Ridgway last Sunday.

E. E. Breene and F. F. Hilliker are taking an auto trip to Buffalo and other points.

Miss "Pat" Seger is spending the summer with her sister, Mrs. Harry Moorehouse, at Pittsburg.

Mrs. J. M. Robertson and children left on Friday for Monticelli, N. Y., to spend the summer.

Jos. Kaye, John T. Howard, Geo. Metzger, Jr., M. J. Dolan and A. F. Vogt visited Olean yesterday.

Miss Mary Iva Gould visited at Olean and Eldred the latter part of last week, returning home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Bloom, of Buffalo, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Hackenberg, on Fifth street.

Mrs. C. J. Bonham and daughter, Miss Louise, of Franklin, Pa., are guests of Wm. Hackenberg and wife.

Miss Gladys Lloyd, accompanied by her friend Miss Helen Dougherty, of Benezette, Pa., returned to her home to-day.

Miss Lottie Leveckie, accompanied by her brother William, departed last Sunday for Pitsburg, to be absent some time.

Chas. Burns, of Smethport, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Frank Mundy, returned to his home this a. m.

The Misses Helen and Mary Blumle, were guests of friends in Ridgway last Sunday, and visited the soldier boys in camp there.

Miss Grace McCaslin, formerly of this place, but now of Cleveland, Ohio, is a guest at the Wiley home, arriving there last Tuesday evening.

Mr. Freeman Brady, of New York City, transacted business in town during the week and was the guest of his brother Andrew Brady.

Mrs. Rose Sage and children, of Altoona, visited friends in town the first of the week enroute for Sizerville, where they will receive benefit of the pure water.

Mr. Frank Blakelly, of New York Cith, has joined his wife at this place and are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. H. Norris. Mrs. Blakelly was formerly Miss May Norris.

Patrick Rafferty has returned from an extended visit. As soon as Mr. R., got down to work the old furnace commenced to turn out pig iron in larger quantities than ever before known.

Mr. Clarence Freeman returned to his home at Wellsville, N. Y., on Wednesday of last week, after a visit of ten days with his wife at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Pepperman, West Fourth street.

H. A. Cox and family returned home on Monday from visiting the former's parents, "on the old home farm" near Jersey Shore. Harry says he is chuck full of cherries. They had a pleasant visit.

W. H. Key and wife, of Philadelphia, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Rentz, at their handsome, West Fourth street home. Mrs. Key is a sister of friend Rentz. Mr. Key has been employed in the U. S. Mint at Philadelphia for forty-six years.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Swartwood, of Sinnamahoning, Pa., and Mrs. Jos. M. Shafer and son, of Shryock, W. Va., spent Sunday at the home of W. S. Swartwood and family, Fourth street and Allegheny Ave., Sunday being the fourth birthday anniversary of the latter's eldest daughter Helen.

Mr. Jas. S. Bryden, formerly of this place, having held a positiou as clerk in the New Warner, was shaking hands with his many friends here Wednesday and Thursday. Mr. Bryden is conducting a restaurant in Wellsboro, Pa.

NEW TO-DAY.

Geo. J. LaBar—New adv.
J. H. Day—New adv.
First National Bank—New adv.
R. Kuehne—Ful page adv.
Doan's Kidney Pills.
Pennsylvania Railroad—New adv.
Mrs. Coppersmith—New adv.
Jasper Harris—New adv.
Adam, Meldrum & Anderson Co.,—new adv.
Shippen Township School Report.
New adv.—Bulbs.

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The problem for this State to work out now is the method of accomplishing the object. It must be borne in mind at the start that the reconstruction of the roads of the Commonwealth will not be a matter of a few years. It will take a decade and millions, but it will pay in the end.

This State is rich; more rich in resources, borrowing capacity, enterprise and public spirit than many other States. It is enjoying a business administration at the hands of one of the ablest, painstaking men who has sat in the Governor's chair, and if the Legislature will harken unto him, laws which will lay the foundation for a highway system of highest economic value will be taken.—Harrisburg Telegraph.

DEATH S DOINGS

DIFFINE.

Fred, the six months old son, of Mr. and Mrs. William Diffine, of Niagara Falls, died at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Newton, last Sunday. Mrs. Diffine had come to Emporium to spend the summer here and the baby was in apparent good health, until last Friday when he was stricken with colera infantum, which caused his death. The funeral was held last Tuesday afternoon, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Newton and the Rev. Mr. Shriner of Free Methodist Church officiated. The PRESS extends its sympathy to the bereaved parents

Base Ball.

The base ball fans of Driftwood were treated to a very exciting twilight game last Wednesday evening between the first nine of Driftwood and and the Boys nine of Castle Garden, the Boys nine going down to defeat after nine hard fought innings, giving them their first defeat and giving Driftwood their second victory this season. The boys had the game cinched up to the seventh inning, when a cloud appeared over the moon causing the umpire temporary blindness, he making several rank decisions. Verbeck pitched supberb ball, allowing only a few scattered hits, but received very poor support. Driftwood's heaviest sluggers were unable to connect with the sphere at times when most needed. With a little more practice and encouragement the boys will be able to make our first nine fade away in the direction of the tall pine tree centre. Driftwood is jubilant over their victory as it was won from boys whose ages range from 15 to 18 years. After the game ended the umpire was presented with a lemon for the favors conferred on the boys nine. The score was 3 to 5.

Driftwood, July 15. X

Painful Injury.

Huntley, Pa., July 16, 1908.

Special to the Press:—

Assistant Foreman, Alfred T. Smith while working on the track on the afternoon of July 15th, accidently ran a pick through his left foot at the aukle joint, sustaining a painful injury. He was taken to his home and Dr. Beale, of Driftwood, dressed the wound. At this writing he is resting as comfortably as possible and if other complicatioos do not set in he will be able to work in about two weeks.

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Ordinance No. 52.

An ordinance requiring the curbing and paving of that part of Fourth street in the Borough of Emporium, between the west end of the brick paving now on said Fourth street and the west side of Wood street and providing for the collection of two-thirds of the cost and expense of the same from the owners of the real estate bounding or abutting thereon by an equal assessment on the feet front bounding or abutting on said part of Fourth street.

WHEREAS, the petition of two-thirds of the owners of property representing not less than two-thirds in number of feet of the properties fronting or abutting on that part of Fourth street between the west end of the brick paving now on Fourth street and the west side of Wood street has been presented to the Council of the Borough of Emporium requesting the Council to require the curbing and paving of said street between said points with brick, stone or other suitable material and to collect two-thirds of the cost and expense of the same from the owners of the real estate bounding or abutting as aforesaid on said portion of said street.

THEREFORE, Be it ordained and enacted by the Council of the Borough of Emporium and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same.

SECTION 1. That the Borough of Emporium shall cause to be paved with brick that part of Fourth street between the west end of the brick paving now on Fourth street about twenty-four feet west of the east line of lot No. 156 and the west side of Wood street.

SECTION 2. That the Borough of Emporium shall cause to be curbed with concrete all that portion of said Fourthstreet mentioned in section one that is not already curbed.

SECTION 3. That the Borough of Emporium shall collect in the manner provided by law two-thirds of the cost and expense of said curbing and paving from the owners of the real estate bounding or abutting on that portion of Fourth street mentioned in section one by an equal assessment on the feet front bounding or abutting as aforesaid, said assessment to be estimated by such competent authority as may hereafter be designated by this Council.

Passed, ordained and enacted this 10th day of July, 1908.

JOS. A. FREINDEL,
President of Council.

ATTEST—
R. C. MOORE, Secretary of Council.
Approved this 16th day of July, 1908.
W. H HOWARD,
Chief Burgess.

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Fine American Cream Cheese lb 16c. Either mild or sharp.
15c canned Corn, 2 cans 25c.
7 cakes Acme or Oak Leaf Soap for 25c.
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SERIAL STORY

LANGFORD of the THREE BARS

By KATE AND VIRGIL D. BOYLES

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SYNOPSIS.

Cattle thieves despoiling ranches of South Dakota. George Williston, small ranchman, runs into rendezvous of thieves on island in Missouri river. They have stolen cattle from Three Bar ranch. Langford visits Williston and his daughter and Williston reports what he has seen to Langford, who determines to rid country of thieves. Jesse Black heads outlaws. Langford falls in love with Williston's daughter, but does not tell her so. Louise Dale, court stenographer, and niece of Judge Dale, visits Kemah at request of county attorney, Gordon, to take testimony in preliminary hearing. Gordon falls in love with her. After preliminary examination Williston's home is attacked and defended by his daughter and himself. Outlaws fire building just as Langford and his cowboys arrive. Outlaws carry off Williston but Langford rescues the daughter. Without Williston evidence against Black is meager, and case seems to be going against the state. Gordon takes a night ride and finds Williston, who has escaped from captors. The courthouse at Kemah burns at night. Williston holds a tea party in his room following court house fire, and Mary Williston and Louise Dale attend. Court convenes in the church, and Williston's testimony is introduced by Gordon. Black, seeing his case lost, makes break for liberty, and escapes. Louise from her hotel room in the night sees a man in the act of shooting Gordon through the window of his room across the street. She arouses Mary who shoots at the would-be assassin, but too late, for Gordon is seriously wounded. While they are attending Gordon it is learned that Williston has also been shot. Summer has come and Jesse Black is still a fugitive from justice. Paul Langford learns that the outlaw has been hiding on the island all the time. He secures a bench warrant from Judge Dale and heads a brave posse to capture Black.

CHAPTER XXI.—Continued.

The sun struggled from behind rain-exhausted clouds, and a rollicking wind blew up. The clouds skurried away toward the horizon.

At White river ford, the men looked at each other in mute inquiry. The stream was a raging torrent. It was swollen until it was half again its ordinary width. The usually placid waters were rushing and twisting into whirlpool-like rapids.

"What now?" asked Baker, the deputy-sheriff.

"I'm thinkin' this here little pleasure party'll have to be postponed," vouchsafed one of the volunteers, nodding his head wisely.

"We'll sure have to wait for the cloud-burst to run out," agreed another.

"Why, we can swim that all right," put in Langford, rallying from his momentary set-back and riding his mount to the very edge of the swirling water.

"Hold on a minute there, Boss," cried Jim. "Don't be rash now. What's the census of 'pinion o' this here company? Shall we resk the ford or shall we not?"

"Why, Jim," said Paul, a laugh in his blue eyes, "are you afraid? What's come over you?"

"Nothin'. I ain't no coward neither, and ef you wasn't the Boss I'd show you. I was just a thinkin' o'—somebody who'd care—that's all."

Just for a moment a far-away look came into the young ranchman's eyes. Then he straightened himself in his saddle.

"I, for one, am going to see this thing through," he said, tersely. "What do you say, Johnson?"

"I never for one minute calculated on doing a thing else," replied the deputy-marshal, who had been standing somewhat apart awaiting the end of the controversy, with a good-humored smile in his twinkling blue eyes.

Paul urged Sade into the water. He was followed unhesitatingly by Munson, Johnson, and Baker. The others held back, and finally, after a short consultation, wheeled and retraced their steps.

"I ain't no coward, neither," muttered one, as he rode away, "but I plumb don't see no sense in bein' drowned. I'd ruther be killed a roundin' up Jesse.'

The horses which had made the initial plunge were already in water up to their breasts. The current had an ominous rush to it.

"I don't care. I didn't mean to hold over and let our quarry get wind of this affair,' cried Langford over his shoulder. "Keep your rifles dry, boys!"

Suddenly, without warning, Sade stepped into a hole and lost her balance for a moment. She struggled gallantly and recovered herself, yet it weakened her. It was not long before all the horses were compelled to swim, and the force of the current immediately began driving them down stream. She was a plucky little cow pony and loved her master, but it was about all she could do to keep from going under, let alone making much headway against the tremendous pressure of the current. Langford's danger was grave.

"Steady, my girl!" he encouraged. He flung his feet free of the stirrups so that, if she went under, he would be ready to try it alone. Poor Sade! He should hate to lose her. If he released her now and struck off by himself, she might make it. He had never known White river to run so sullenly and strongly; it would be almost impossible for a man to breast it. And there was Mary—he could never go back to her and claim her for his own until he could bring Black back, too, to suffer for her father's wrongs.

At that moment, Sade gave a little convulsive shudder and the water rolled over her head. Langford slipped from the saddle, but in the instant of contact with the pushing current, his rifle was jerked violently from his hand and sank out of sight. With no time for vain regrets, he struck out for the shore. The struggle was tremendous. He was buffeted and beaten, and borne farther down the stream. More than once in the endeavor to strike too squarely across, his head went under; but he was a strong swimmer, and soon scrambling up the bank some distance below the ford, he turned and sent a resonant hail to his comrades. They responded lustily. He had been the only one unhorsed. He threw himself face downward to cough up some of the water he had been compelled to swallow, and Munson, running up, began slapping him vigorously upon the back. He desisted only to run swiftly along the bank.

"Good for you," Jim cried approvingly, assisting Langford's spent horse up the bank. Coming up to the party where Langford still stretched out full length, Sade rubbed her nose inquiringly over the big shoulders lying so low, and whinnied softly.

"Hello there!" cried Paul, springing excitedly to his feet. "Where'd you come from? Thought you had crossed the bar. Now I'll just borrow a gun from one of you fellows and we'll be getting along. Better my rifle than my horse at this stage of the game, anyway."

The little party pushed on. The longer half of their journey was still before them. On the whole, perhaps, it was better the crowd had split. There was more unity of purpose among those who were left. The sun was getting hot, and Langford's clothes dried rapidly.

Arrived at the entrance of the cross ravine which Williston had once sought out, the four men rode their horses safely through its length. The waters of the June rise had receded and the outlaw's presumably deserted holding was once more a peninsula. The wooded section in the near distance lay green, cool and innocent-

"Steady My Girl!" He Encouraged.

looking in the late summer sun. The sands between stretched out hot in the white glare. From the gulch covert, the wiry marshal rode first. His face bore its wonted expression of good-humored alertness, but there was an inscrutable glint in his eyes that might have found place there because of a sure realization of the hazard of the situation and of his accepting it. Langford followed him quickly, and Munson and Baker were not far behind. They trotted breezily across the open in a bunch, without words. Where the indistinct trail to the house slipped into the wooded enclosure they paused. Was the desperado at last really rounded up so that he must either submit quickly or turn at bay? It was so still. Spots of sunlight had filtered through the foliage and flecked the pathway. Insects flitted about. Bumble bees droned. Butterflies hovered over the snow-on-the-mountain. A tutrle dove mourned. A snake glided sinuously through the grass. Peering down the warm, shaded interior, one might almost imagine one was in the heart of an ancient wood. The drowsy suggestions of solitude crept in upon the sensibilities of all the men and filled them with vague doubts. If this was the haunt of a man, a careless, sordid man, would this place which knew him breathe forth so sweet, still, and undisturbed a peace?

Langford first shook himself free of the haunting fear of a deserted hearthstone.

"I'd stake my all on my belief that he's there," he said, in a low voice. "Now listen, boys. Johnson and I will ride to the house and make the arrest, providing he doesn't give us the slip. Baker, you and Jim will remain here in ambush in case he does. He's bound to come this way to reach the mainland. Ready, Johnson?"

Jim interposed. His face was flinty with purpose.

"Not ef the court knows herself, and I think she do. Me and Johnson will do that there little arrestin' job and the boss he'll stay here in the ambush. Ef anybody's a countin' on my totin' the boss's openwork body back to Mary Williston, it's high time he was a losin' the count, for I ain't goin' to do it."

He guided his horse straight into the path.

"But, Jim," expostulated Langford, laying a detaining hand on the cowboy's shoulder, "as for danger, there's every bit as much—and more—here. Do you think Jesse Black will tamely sit down and wait for us to come up and nab him? I think he'll run."

"Then why are you a shirkin', ef this is the worst spot o' all? You ain't no coward, boss, leastways you never was. Why don't you stay by it? That's what I'd like to know."

Johnson grinned appreciatively.

"Well, there's always the supposition that he may not see us until we ride into his clearing," admitted Langford. "Of course, then—it's too late."

Jim blocked the way.

"I'm an ornery, no-'count cowboy with no one in this hull world to know or care what becomes o' me. There ain't no one to care but me, and I can't say I'm a hurtin' myself any a carin'! You just wait till I screech, will you?"

"Jim," said Langford, huskily, "you go back and behave yourself. I'm the boss—not you. You've got to obey orders. You've sassed me long enough. You get back, now!"

"Tell Mary, ef I come back a deader," said Jim, "that women are s'perfluous critters, but I forgive her. She can't help bein' a woman."

He gave his horse a dig with his knee and the animal bounded briskly forward.

"Jim! You fool boy! Come back!" cried Langford, plunging after him.

Johnson shrugged his shoulders and wheeled his horse into clever concealment on one side of the path.

"Let the fool kids go," he advised, dryly. "I'm a lookin' for Jess to run, anyway."

The two men rode boldly up toward the house. It seemed deserted. Weeds were growing around the door-stoop, and crowding thickly up to the front windows. A spider's silver web gleamed from casing to panel of the warped and weather-stained door. The windows were blurred with the tricklings of rain through seasons of dust. Everything appeared unkempt, forlorn, desolate.

There was a sound from the rear. It carried a stealthy significance. A man leaped from the protection of the cabin and was seen running toward the barn. He was heavily armed.

"Stop that, Black!" yelled Langford, authoritatively. "We are going to take you, dead or alive—you'd better give yourself up! It will be better for you."

The man answered nothing.

"Wing him with you rifle, Jim, before he gets to the barn," said Paul quickly.

The shot went wild. Black wrenched the door open, sprang upon the already bridled horse and made a bold dash for the farther wood—and not in the direction where determined men waited in ambush. What did it mean. As his horse cleared the stable, he turned and shot a vindictive challenge to meet his pursuers.

"You won't take me alive—and dead, I won't go alone!"

He plunged forward in a northerly direction. Dimly he could be seen through the underbrush; but plainly could be heard the crackling of branches and the snapping of twigs as his horse whipped through the low-lying foliage. Was there, then, another way to the mainland—other than the one over which Johnson and Baker kept guard? How could it be? How Langford longed for his good rifle and its carrying power. But he knew how to use a pistol, too. Both men sent menacing shots after the fugitive. Langford could not account for the strange direction. The only solution was that Black was leading his pursuers a chase through the woods, hoping to decoy them so deeply into the interior that he might, turning suddenly and straightly, gain time for his desperate sprint across the exposed stretch of sand. If this were true, Baker and Johnson would take care of him there.

Black returned the fire vengefully. A bullet scraped his horse's flank. His hat was shot from his head. He turned savagely in his saddle with a yell of defiance.

"You'll never take me alive!"

The fusillade was furious, but the trees and branches proved Black's friends. It was impossible to judge one's aim aright. His horse staggered. Another bullet sang and purred through the foliage, and the horse fell.

"My God, Jim!" cried Langford. "My cartridges are out! Give me your gun!"

For answer, Jim sent another bullet whistling forward. Black, rising from his fallen horse, fell back.

"I got him!" yelled Jim, exultantly. He spurred forward.

"Careful, Jim!" warned Langford. "He may be 'playing 'possum,' you know."

"You stay where you are," cried Jim. "You ain't got no gun. Stay back, you fool boss!"

Langford laughed a little.

"You're the fool boy, Jim," he said. "I'll go without a gun if you won't give me yours."

They rode cautiously up to the prostrate figure. It was lying face downward, one arm outstretched on the body of the dead horse, the other crumpled under the man's breast. Blood oozed from under his shoulder.

"He's done for," said Jim, in a low voice. In the presence of death all hatred had gone from him. The man apparently had paid all he could of his debts on earth. The body lying there so low was the body of a real man. What ever his crimes, he had been a fine type of physical manhood. He had never cringed. He had died like a man, fighting to the last.

(To Be Continued.)

Quite Laughable.

"That was quite a joke in the millionaire colony." "What was it?" "Why, it seems that somebody there had been married once before and had forgotten it."

THE DAIRY

PRACTICAL CALF WEANER.

Board Fitted to Nose Will Prevent Sucking Mother.

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The Calf Weaner.

without difficulty, says the Prairie Farmer, but in trying to reach the mother the board will hurt the nose and it will soon stop trying.

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I have just had my first experience with a cream separator, writes a woman correspondent of Farm and Home. At first, or until I had some experience in washing and taking care of it as it should be, I thought that it made more work than in the setting of cans of milk in cold water, but since using it for four weeks, I find it is just the thing.

If one wishes to patronize the creamery, it is much better to have the separator cream to sell. One must always cool the new separated cream before putting it with other cream. It should always be churned at a lower temperature than the skimmed cream. I think that 56 degrees is about right for summer weather.

If butter is not of the right color it does no harm to use a good butter color. White butter never looks so nice as yellow butter, even though it tastes just as good. When one wishes to pack butter to keep for some time, it is best to put in a new jar, and after it is packed and tied up, turn the jar bottom side up in a good cool, dry place.

DAIRY NOTES.

Dehorn the calves with caustic potash as soon as the button begins to form on the head. If the operation is delayed till the little horn becomes a half inch long, the potash will prove ineffective or there will be a growth of deformed horns.

Feed extra well while the cows are shedding. They will need feed to keep up the flow of milk and an additional amount to make the new growth of hair. Feed rich in protein, such as bran, oats, chop, alfalfa, clover, oil meal and the like, are needed.

The first thing to take into consideration when feeding the dairy calf, especially the heifer that is intended for the dairy herd, is to see that it is kept growing from the time it is placed in the feeding lot till it has matured. Any neglect that will cause a standstill in growing will cause a dwarfing of the organs of milk production and the calf will not make the producer she should.

An Illinois reader has some cows that refuse to eat grain. Their tastes can tell better than the attendant what they should eat. We would have some oats and corn ground into chop and offer them this and, if they refuse, turn them into the pasture and let them make their gains on the pasture ration. Gains on pasture are usually the cheapest of all gains and it will mean more money in this questioner's purse than to feed grain.

Have a Good Dairy Herd.

No matter how small the dairy herd of the farm is, the farmer should take pride in having it a good herd. In some of our western states the average number of milch cows on farms is only two, three or four. But if these are all good cows, the returns to the farmer in a series of years will amount to a good deal. Many that own poor cows do not stop to figure out what they lose from having them. One thing they lose of which they never take an account and that is the profit on a good cow that could be kept in place of the cow that pays nothing or worse. Thus the cow that just pays her way and nothing else is in the place of a cow that might pay $30 per year or more. That possible profit is part of the loss, and in ten years it amounts to $300.

Change Pasture in Midsummer.

The pastures at time of the cattle being turned into them are generally good. Very little grain should be fed to cattle after they are turned into the pastures. In midsummer, when the pastures become short, the best method is to change pasture.

Sow turnip seed in season, particularly Swedish turnips, which need longer to mature. If sown too late the bulbs fail to reach profitable size

Keep the cultivator going every week.

You Read the Other Fellow's Ad

You are reading this one. That should convince you that advertising in these columns is a profitable proposition; that it will bring business to your store. The fact that the other fellow advertises is probably the reason he is getting more business than is falling to you. Would it not be well to give the other fellow a chance

To Read Your Ad In These Columns

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is your silent representative. If you sell fine goods that are up-to-date in style and of superior quality it ought to be reflected in your printing. We produce the kind that you need and will not feel ashamed to have represent you. That is the only kind it pays to send out. Send your orders to this office.

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The firms whose names are represented in our advertising columns are worthy of the confidence of every person in the community who has money to spend. The fact that they advertise stamps them as enterprising, progressive men of business, a credit to our town, and deserving of support. Our advertising columns comprise a Buyers' Guide to fair dealing, good goods, honest prices.

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To Drive Away the Mail Order Wolf

You can drive him out quickly if you use the mail order houses' own weapon—advertising. Mail order concerns are spending thousands of dollars every week in order to get trade from the home merchants. Do you think for a minute they would keep it up if they didn't get the business? Don't take it for granted that every one within a radius of 25 miles knows what you have to sell, and what your prices are. Nine times out of ten your prices are lower, but the customer is influenced by the up-to-date advertising of the mail order house. Every article you advertise should be *described* and *priced*. You must tell your story in an interesting way, and when you want to reach the buyers of this community use the columns of this paper.

A MOST TOUCHING APPEAL

falls short of its desired effect if addressed to a small crowd of interested listeners. Mr. Business Man, are you wasting your ammunition on the small crowd that would trade with you anyway, or do you want to reach those who are not particularly interested in your business? If you do, make your appeal for trade to the largest and most intelligent audience in your community, the readers of this paper. They have countless wants. Your ads will be read by them, and they will become your customers. Try it and

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appeal to the Well-Informed in every walk of life and are essential to permanent success and creditable standing. Accordingly, it is not claimed that Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna is the only remedy of known value, but one of many reasons why it is the best of personal and family laxatives is the fact that it cleanses, sweetens and relieves the internal organs on which it acts without any debilitating after effects and without having to increase the quantity from time to time.

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SHE BAMBOOZLES HIM.

Mrs. Caller—You surely don't always give your husband a necktie on his birthday?

Mrs. Athome—Yes, I do, and the poor dear doesn't even know it's the same one each time!

Hurt a Convict's Pride.

A church missionary had a letter recently from a convict begging him to reform the writer's wife, who was also in prison.

The convict—who is serving a long term—was very anxious about the matter, because, as he said: "It was no credit to him to receive letters from such a place as prison."

Another convict, in the course of a letter to his brother, a pauper, remarked: "Well, Jack, thank goodness I have never sunk so low as the workhouse yet."—London Daily News.

Coming Events.

Let no one say that the mind has no power over the body. If it can cause such effects as in the case taken from Ulk, how much more can it influence the physical conditions of the now and here?

"You look pale and thin. What's got you?"

"Work! From morning till night, and only a one-hour rest."

"How long have you been at it?"

"I begin to-morrow."—Youth's Companion.

Rain from Father's Head.

A bright little boy of two summers was unconcernedly playing near his father, who was laboriously occupied with a difficult task which caused big beads of perspiration to drop from his forehead. Presently the lad ceased his play. Looking at his parent doubtfully a moment, he ran swiftly to his mother and, assuming a pained expression, pointed to his father, saying plaintively: "Oo, mamma, see! Poo papa head yainin'."

WIFE WON

Husband Finally Convinced.

Some men are wise enough to try new foods and beverages and then generous enough to give others the benefit of their experience.

A very "conservative" Ills. man, however, let his good wife find out for herself what a blessing Postum is to those who are distressed in many ways, by drinking coffee. The wife writes:

"No slave in chains, it seemed to me, was more helpless than I, a coffee captive. Yet there were innumerable warnings—waking from a troubled sleep with a feeling of suffocation, at times dizzy and out of breath, attacks of palpitation of the heart that frightened me.

"Common sense, reason, and my better judgment told me that coffee drinking was the trouble. At last my nervous system was so disarranged that my physician ordered 'no more coffee.'

"He knew he was right and he knew I knew it, too. I capitulated. Prior to this our family had tried Postum, but disliked it, because, as we learned later, it was not made right.

"Determined this time to give Postum a fair trial, I prepared it according to directions on the pkg.—that is, boiled it 15 minutes after boiling commenced, obtaining a dark brown liquid with a rich snappy flavor similar to coffee. When cream and sugar were added, it was not only good but delicious.

"Noting its beneficial effects in me the rest of the family adopted it—all except my husband, who would not admit that coffee hurt him. Several weeks elapsed during which I drank Postum two or three times a day, when, to my surprise, my husband said: 'I have decided to drink Postum. Your improvement is so apparent—you have such fine color—that I propose to give credit where credit is due.' And now we are coffee-slaves no longer."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

INDUSTRY AND MECHANICS

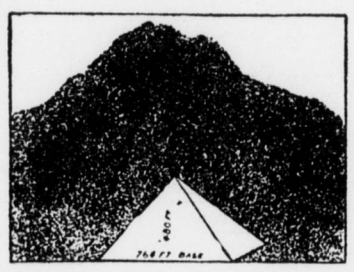
WORK AT PANAMA.

Every Working Day the Yankees and Their Machines Accomplish Marvels.

Every 50 working days the toilers who are digging the Panama canal are removing an amount of material equal to the great pyramid of Cheops, which consumed the labor of 100,000 men for 20 years in the building, and the services of the same number for ten years in constructing the road connecting the work with the quarries.

"Spread in any city of the union the earth which was taken from the canal during a single month would have buried ten solid city blocks under 40 solid feet of earth," says the Philadelphia North American.

Truly, the work accomplished since the army engineers took charge is stupendous and awe-inspiring, but the forerunners who prepared the way under overwhelming obstacles and drove the mosquito and the yellow fever from the canal zone must not be forgotten. Because of their work the



One Year's Excavation on Panama Canal Compared to Great Pyramid.

whole force can now put its shoulders to the wheel and defy the climate, which ten years ago was death to the white man.

The high water mark was reached during February, when a daily average of 122,741 cubic yards of material was excavated. February had but 24 working days of eight hours each, but all records were broken by a total excavation of 2,945,880 cubic yards. For this work 64 steam shovels were used. Thirty-five more immense steam shovels are now being used, or are en route for the canal zone. In the month of January, 1908, there were approximately 43,000 employes on the rolls of the commission and of the Panama railroad, about 6,000 of whom were Americans.

The real work of excavation began in 1906, and in the two years ended since then 21,600,565 cubic yards were removed. During 1907 the record went up in bounds from 815,270 cubic yards in March to 1,868,729 in October, but even the latter figure, which so amazed the American public when reported, has been dwarfed to insignificance by the 2,709,290 cubic yards of January and the 2,945,880 cubic yards of February, 1908.

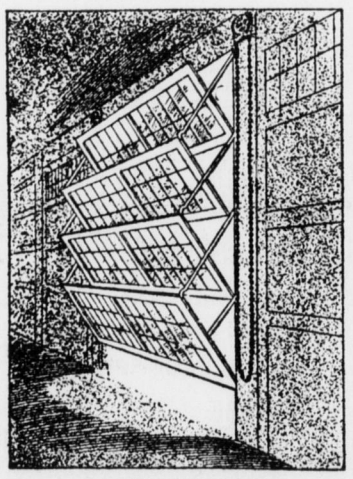
With fully 80 per cent. of the entire plant needed for construction purchased or contracted for, machine shops erected and organization perfected, this year will see every record almost doubly broken and completion near enough to determine with a fair amount of accuracy the date on which the great American fleet, if desired, could pass into the Pacific without such a cruise as has just been accomplished.

The illustration shows the amount of material excavated from the Panama canal in a year, as compared with the amount of material in the pyramid of Cheops.

VERTICALLY FOLDING DOORS

Being Installed on Many Engine Houses and Factories.

Vertically folding doors, the upper panels of which are glazed, are being installed on many engine houses and



The Door Partly Open.

manufacturing buildings. Lifted by a chain hoist at the side of each door, the panels or leaves fold upward and inward, coming close together at the top opening. In this position the door is well protected from the weather, cannot be slammed around by the wind, and offers no obstruction.

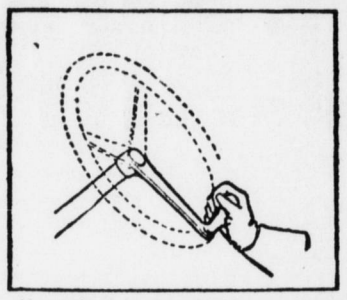
When closed, says Popular Mechanics, the glass panels admit the light freely, and for ventilation purposes the door can be raised to admit as little or as much air as may be desired. By raising the door two inches, four horizontal openings of six inches are made, the door remaining storm proof.

SAFE STEERING ON AUTO.

Much Depends on the Character of the Device.

The right or wrong type of steering gear on an automobile may make all the difference between safety and disaster at a critical moment, notes a writer in Motor Age. A slight error in steering will be increased by one type until it is fatally wrong and the car is in the ditch; another type will tend automatically to correct slight mistakes. The former the writer calls "dynamically unstable;" the latter, "dynamically stable." We read:

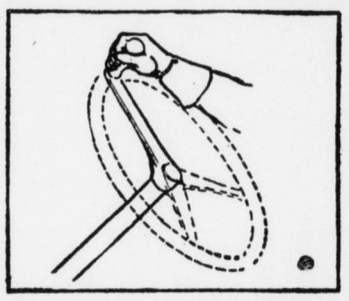
"In one of the earliest types of steering-mechanism used on motor-



If a wheel be handled by its lowermost point then it resembles a tiller and is dynamically unstable.

vehicles the wheels were controlled by a lever pivoted at a point in front of the driver usually at or near the center of the dashboard, this type being commonly known as 'bath-chair,' or tiller, steering. It was in a vehicle so fitted that M. Levassor of the firm of Panhard & Levassor lost his life in an early race."

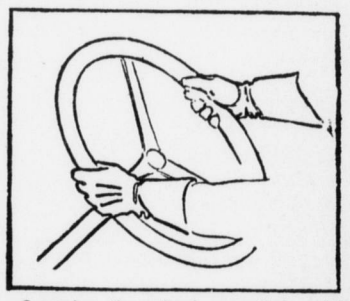
When the dangers of bath-chair steering were first realized, the public, we are told, rushed to the conclusion that the general principle of lever or tiller-steering was at fault. This, the writer assures us, is far from the truth. It is the direction of the steering-motion in the bath-chair type that is dangerous. If the direction of the steering-effort be reversed, the forces that were previously a cause of danger



If a wheel be handled by its uppermost point then it is dynamically stable for steering at all times.

become a sourec of security. If the lever be aranged to move in the same direction as that in which the car is to be steered, the difficulty vanishes, the forces called into play actually preventing oversteering. To quote further:

"It is of interest to examine the generally adopted wheel-steering from the



Grasping the wheel oppositely with both hands is dynamically safe for steering motor-cars on any road surface.

dynamical point of view; the matter is not altogether simple, owing to the fact that the manner in which the wheel is held and handled is an important factor in the problem; we will, therefore, briefly discuss the matter on certain alternative bases.

"Firstly, let us suppose that the wheel be handled only by its lowermost point, then its action resembles the bath-chair steering with a very short lever; it is dynamically unstable. If, conversely, we suppose the wheel handled only by its uppermost point, the motion is in the same direction as the car is steered, and it is, therefore, dynamically stable. Neither of the above suppositions, however, exactly represents the facts as to how a wheel is manipulated. The usual method of holding the wheel—at any rate, at high speeds, when dynamical considerations are of greatest importance—is to grasp it in both hands, one on each side, and, when steering, the wheel is turned in the direction that the body is leaned. Under these circumstances the steering is dynamically stable, but the motions concerned are rotative rather than translational, as in the previous case.

"If, as is actually the case, the steering-wheel is inclined, there is still a component motion acting in the manner stated. It is interesting to recall how much more suitable the heavily raked steering-pillar appears on a speed machine—in which the importance of the dynamic forces is the greatest—than the more vertical pillar; the latter always looks out of place except on a slow-moving vehicle. The mechanical instinct in this respect seems to comprehend at once that which cold-blooded reason reaches only with some difficulty."

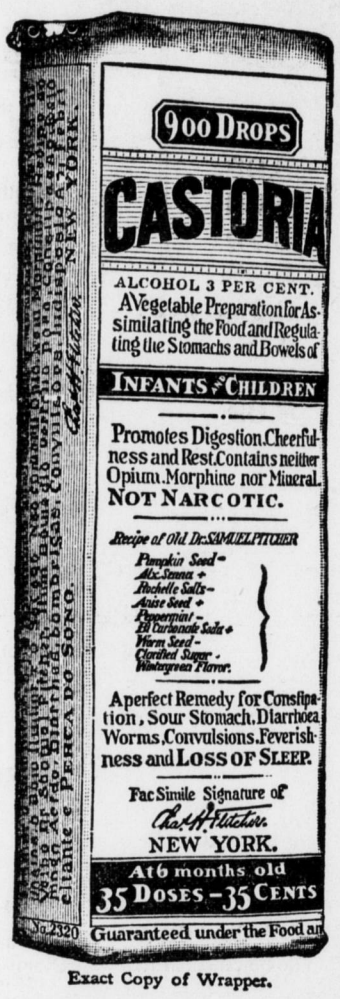
Cleaning Old Files.

Acid will clean old files and make them better, but will not make good files of worn-out ones.

Save the Babies.

INFANT MORTALITY is something frightful. We can hardly realize that of all the children born in civilized countries, twentytwo per cent., or nearly one-quarter, die before they reach one year; thirtyseven per cent., or more than one-third, before they are five, and one-half before they are fifteen!

We do not hesitate to say that a timely use of Castoria would save a majority of these precious lives. Neither do we hesitate to say that many of these infantile deaths are occasioned by the use of narcotic preparations. Drops, tinctures and soothing syrups sold for children's complaints contain more or less opium, or morphine. They are, in considerable quantities, deadly poisons. In any quantity they stupefy, retard circulation and lead to congestions, sickness, death. Castoria operates exactly the reverse, but you must see that it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. Castoria causes the blood to circulate properly, opens the pores of the skin and allays fever.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'GATOR ON THE RAMPAGE.

Edifying Story That Is Vouched for by the Georgia Ananias.

"Yes," said the fisherman, "the man had fished all the forenoon, an' hadn't got a nibble, so he took another swaller out the jug, pulled off his boots, an' lay down on the river bank an' went to sleep. As soon as he went to snorin' good, a alligator that had been watchin' him all the mornin' crawled up an' swallered his boots, likewise the jug, with 'bout half a gallon in it, I reckon. The cork came out, and, of course, the 'gator got the full benefit o' the whisky, which so turned its head that it lashed the water with its tail till the river was a foamin' mass, after which it crawled up on the bank agin an' made desp'rit efforts to climb trees an' turn double-somersaults, an' do all manner of impossible things!"

'Why didn't it swallow the fisherman, instead of his boot?" some one asked.

"'Gators, gentlemen," said the storyteller, "can't stand ever'thing. They must draw the line some'rs."—Atlanta Constitution.

VERY GOOD REASON.

Father—I told you not to go with that boy.

Bobby—I had to, father, 'cause he had hold of my hair!

Bells.

Bells are understood to have had their origin in China, but at so remote a time that no precise date can be given. Their first use was to clear the air of evil spirits and to drive off the storms. Old European records tell how the tolling of bells kept the devils from assaulting believers; hence their connection with churches. Bells may be traced in Europe back to the sixth century, but were not generally introduced into the western church much before the eighth century.

Case of Shocking Neglect.

Friend—What has become of Celestine, your maid?

Mrs. Snoblotts—I had to discharge her. She had no consideration for Fido.

Friend—Why, I always thought she took the most tender care of the pet.

Mrs. Snoblotts—So did I till I found she was using her own comb on him without first sterlizing it.

A Cold Lunch.

The pupils of a distinguished professor of zoology, a man well known for his eccentricities, noted one day two tidy parcels lying on their instructor's desk as they passed out at the noon hour. On their return to the laboratory for the afternoon lecture they saw but one. This the professor took carefully up in his hand as he opened his lecture.

"In the study of vertebrata we have taken the frog as a type. Let us now examine the gastrocnemius muscle of this dessected specimen."

So saying the professor untied the string of his neat parcel and disclosed to view a ham sandwich and a boiled egg.

"But I have eaten my lunch," said the learned man bewilderedly.—Lippincott's.

A Good Turn.

"Here, wake up," cried Subbubs, appearing on his porch in his pajamas. "You've got a nerve to be sleeping in our hammock."

"Nerve?" replied the hobo, sleepily. "Why, I'm a benefactor; if it wasn't fur me holdin' dis hammock down de mosquitoes would 'a' lugged it off long ago."

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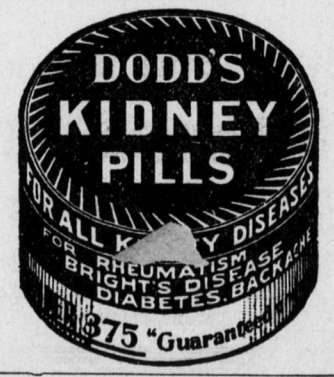

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JOHN GLENN,
Constable and Collector.

July 1, 1908.—21-3t.

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The Shippen Township Tax Duplicate for 1908 has been placed in my hands for collection. Therefore, notice is hereby given that I will be at the Sweesey School House, July 11th; Howard Siding, July 18th and at Election House, July 25th. After July 30th, 1908, ten per cent. will be added to all taxes.

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London In 1784.

In 1784 M. La Combe published a book entitled "A Picture of London," in which, inter alia, he says, "The highroads thirty or forty miles round London are filled with armed highwaymen and footpads." This was then pretty true, though the expression "filled" is somewhat of an exaggeration. The medical student of fifty or more years ago seems to have been anticipated in 1784, for M. La Combe tells us that "the brass knockers of doors, which cost from 12 shillings to 15 shillings, are stolen at night if the maid forgets to unscrew them," a precaution which seems to have gone out of fashion.

M. La Combe in another part of his book exclaims: "How are you changed, Londoners! Your women are become bold, imperious and expensive. Bankrupts and beggars, coiners, spies and informers, robbers and pickpockets abound. The baker mixes alum in his bread. The brewer puts opium and copper filling in his beer. The milkwoman spoils her milk with snails."

The Blood Red Banner.

Royal and national colors vary with nations and times, but since Cain slew Abel blood red has been the sign of revolt. In the earliest revolt known to history, when the Persians rose against their king 4,000 years ago, they were led by a blood red banner, and during the riots which took place in Paris the men in the blood red caps were followed by the mob. A blood red flag waved over Bunker Hill when the Americans fought for liberty, and it was the emblem of the German peasants in their great uprisings in 1424, 1492 and 1525. Blood red was the color of the trades union flags during the middle ages, and it framed the background of the emblem of the Swiss confederacy in 1315. Through the whole of French and every other national history those striking in their own ways for liberty have worn the blood red cap and hailed the blood red banner as their leader. It is a curious fact that never has a monarch chosen it as his color.—London Answers.

Naive Lying.

A police official of New York, discussing the case of a policeman found guilty of protecting gambling houses, said:

"The man lied too naively in defense of his innocence. He was like a carpenter employed by a newspaper friend of mine. My newspaper friend writes a good deal at home, and, his study being next to the nursery, the children's noise disturbed him, and he employed a carpenter to make the wall sound proof between the two rooms. 'I'll fix it all right,' said the carpenter confidently. 'The best thing to do will be to line it with shavings.' He completed his job, then he called the literary man in. 'She's sound proof all right now,' he said. 'We'll test her,' said the literary man. 'You stay here.' And, going into the nursery, he called to the carpenter in the study, 'Can you hear me?' 'No, sir; I can't,' was the prompt reply."—New York Tribune.

Was Entitled to Trouble.

Lord Palmerston and Sir J. Paget, who told the story, were walking down Bond street. A man came up and saluted the statesman.

"How do you do, Lord Palmerston?"

"Ah, how do? Glad to see you. How's the old complaint?"

The stranger's face clouded over, and he shook his head. "No better."

"Dear me! So sorry! Glad to have met you. Goodby."

"Who's your friend?" asked Sir James when the stranger had gone.

"No idea."

"Why, you asked him about his old complaint."

"Pooh, pooh!" replied the other unconcernedly. "The old fellow's well over sixty; bound to have something the matter with him."—London Globe.

The Archbishop Won.

Dr. Whately, some time archbishop of Dublin, once had an encounter with a young aid-de-camp, and the primate emerged victor. At dinner the soldier asked this singular question, "Does your grace know the difference between an archbishop and an ass?" "Sir, I do not," answered Dr. Whately. "One wears the cross on his miter and the other wears it on his back!" explained the tactless officer. "Do you know the difference between an aid-de-camp and an ass?" asked the archbishop calmly in return. "No, your grace, I do not," was the reply. "Neither do I," said his grace.—Liverpool Mercury.

Greeley's Writing.

During the early part of the nineteenth century the bad writing of great men became almost a byword. In fact, poor writing was considered by some people as almost a sign of genius. Horace Greeley was such a poor writer that his correspondents were sometimes obliged to guess at his meaning. It is related that a reporter on the New York Tribune who received a letter from Greeley discharging him presented it as a letter of recommendation to the editor of another paper.

Diverging.

Husband—I'm afraid I'm becoming cross eyed, my dear. Wife—The idea! Why do you think that? Husband—This thing of trying to look at my income and our expenses at the same time is slowly but surely getting its work in.—Chicago News.

Caught Him.

Mrs. Hoyle—I've found out where my husband spends his evenings. Mrs. Doyle—Where? Mrs. Hoyle—At home. You see, I had to stay in myself last night.—Harper's Weekly.

That is every man's country where he lives best.—Aristophanes.

The Mule's Delusion.

The pack mule is quite as much an institution as the team mule and is absolutely indispensable in the mountains. Mule packing is a fine art, and with a well trained animal and a skillful packer you can safely transport anything from a piano to a bag of oats. When the packer has finished his job in an artistic manner, the animal may buck or back, kick or rear or roll, but he cannot rid himself of his burden, and he finally gives it up in despair. After two or three experiences he will submit to his destiny and fall into line with the rest of the train every morning to receive his load from the packer. A well trained pack mule is always proud of his load, and if by any means it gets loose he will step quietly out of line and wait until the packmaster comes along to tighten it.

The most serious objection to the mule, which you sometimes find in human beings also, is the delusion that he can sing. One who has never heard a mule solo cannot appreciate the extent of his mistake; but, like everything else about a mule, his song is strictly original. It belongs to no other animal. No one can describe and no one can imitate it.—New York Mail.

Mixed Pickles.

Bishop Knox once explained that "Mr. McKenna's sword was an overloaded pistol which, being hung up in a tight corner lest it should burst, pretended to be dead until it got up and trotted home on the friendly back of the bishop of St. Asaph." But it is in political debate, especially in the house of commons, that the mixed metaphor flourishes most luxuriantly. "The floodgates of irreligion and intemperance are stalking arm in arm throughout the land." "This bill effects such a change that the last leap in the dark was a mere flea bite." "That is the marrow of the educational act, and it will not be taken out by Dr. Clifford or anybody else. It is founded on a granite foundation and speaks in a voice not to be drowned in sectarian clamor." "The question of moisture in tobacco is a thorny subject and has long been a bone of contention."—Manchester Guardian.

Tulip Soup.

"What makes this vegetable soup taste so different?" asked the young husband of the pretty bride.

"Only the leeks you sent home," replied the bride. "You remember you said you were going to order leeks."

"I didn't order any leeks," growled the husband, but he finished his bowl of soup rather than disappoint her.

That afternoon he stopped at the grocery store.

"How did you come to send leeks up to my house this morning?" he demanded. "I didn't order them."

"Great Scott! Did you eat them?" exclaimed the grocer.

"Sure, we ate them."

"Oh, for land's sake. They were Mrs. Jackson's tulip bulbs. She left them on the counter and they got into your basket by mistake."—Detroit Free Press.

A Queer Practice.

A queer practice which is general throughout all the tribes of Australia is the ribbing of the skin. When the children are still young long cuts are made across the chest, down the upper arm and leg and even across the back and ribs. While the wound is quite fresh the cut is opened and a mixture of mud is grafted in, the skin being pulled as far as possible over it. The skin eventually grows completely round the mud filling and forms ridges varying in length and size from an ordinary lead pencil to the thickness of a man's little finger and extending from armpit to armpit. I am informed that while the healing process is going on the pain is exquisite, but the result seems to satisfy all parties concerned.—London Standard.

The Brave Butterfly.

Here is an unorthodox story of King Solomon: One day a butterfly sat on the king's temple and boasted to his wife. "If I chose I could lift my wing and shiver this building to the ground," he swaggered. Solomon, overhearing, sent for the boaster. "How dare you?" he thundered. The butterfly groveled, "I did it to impress my wife," he pleaded. The great monarch was instantly appeased and let him go. "What did Solomon say to you?" gasped a quivering wife five minutes later. "Oh, he begged me not to do it," said the butterfly airily. And Solomon, again overhearing, smiled.—Chicago News.

Wifely Curiosity.

"Henry, dear, I tried on a suit of your clothes the other day, and it fitted me to perfection."

"May I ask your object in taking such a liberty with my garments?"

"Why, Belle Greene said she heard Tommy Tolliver say that you wasn't much bigger than a shrimp, and I was just wondering how big a shrimp is."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Alike In One Way.

"He's quite wealthy and prominent now," said Mrs. Starvem, "and they say he rose practically from nothing."

"Well, well!" remarked Mr. Border. "That's just what I rose from—at the breakfast table this morning."—London Answers.

Those Amiable Creatures.

Maud—This is my engagement ring. Isn't it lovely? Edith—Perfectly adorable! How generous Fred was to give you such a valuable one! And to think that folks say that your father paid for it!—Boston Transcript.

Inquiring Boy—Ma, what did the moths eat before Adam and Eve wore clothes?—Exchange.

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Professor Leopold Schroetter was called to see the Crown Prince Frederick in 1887 before Sir Morrell Mackenzie had reached San Remo. The prince, evidently suspecting the worst, turned to Schroetter after the examination and said, "I request the truth as to my ailment." Schroetter hesitated and made an effort to direct the conversation in another direction, but Frederick insisted. "I am a soldier," he said, "and can look death in the eye. I ask you now plainly, to the point, Is my complaint cancer?" Schroetter could hardly contain himself, and years after the scene when he recalled it he spoke of it as the most painful in his life. He conducted the crown prince to a chair and asked him to be seated. Then he said, "Your imperial highness, you are suffering from a serious complaint, and it is possible that it may develop into carcinoma, but that cannot be determined positively at this moment." Frederick became deathly pale, but never for a moment lost his self control and smiled grimly when he thanked the physician for his honesty.

Coming to an Understanding.

In the amiable way of villagers they were discussing the matrimonial affairs of a couple who, though recently wed, had begun to find the yoke of Hymen a burden.

"'Tis all along o' these hasty marriages," opined one caustic old gentleman, who had been much to the fore in the discussion. "They did not understand each other. They'd nobbut knowed each other for a matter o' seven year."

"Well, that seems long enough," said an interested lady listener.

"Long eno'! Bah! Ye're wrong! When a body's coortin' he canna be too careful. Why, my coortship lasted a matter o' nineteen year!"

"You certainly were careful," agreed the lady listener. "And did you find your plan successful when you married?"

"Ye jump to conclusions," said the old man impatiently. "I understood her then, so I didna marry her!"—St. James' Gazette.

Poor Comfort.

Apropos of the pretensions of those who might be counted as in society, Mrs. Bloomfield Moore in her book on "Sensible Etiquette" tells the following story:

A snobbish young man and his sister after their return home from an evening party were criticising the company, quite unaware that their sensible old uncle was lying awake in his chamber and could hear every word from where they stood in the corridor.

"Why, even the Grinders were there, and you know their father was a grocer. I was never in such a mixed company," said the sister.

"And we will never be again if I can help it," answered the brother.

The uncle called out: "Children, what do you think your grandfather was? He was a bootmaker, and some people say not a very honest one either. Now go to bed."

Cramp Rings.

Formerly it was customary for kings of England on Good Friday to hallow certain rings, the wearing of which prevented cramp or epilepsy. They were made from the metal of decayed coffins and consecrated with an elaborate ceremony, some details of which are still preserved. They were "highly recommended by the medical profession" about 1557, for Andrew Boorde in his "Breviary of Health," speaking of cramp says, "The kynge's majesite hath a great helpe in this matter in hallowing crampe ringes without money or petition." Occasionally cramp rings played a persuasive part in diplomacy. Lord Berners, our ambassador at the court of Charles V., wrote in 1508 "to my lorde cardinall's grace" for some "crampe rynges," with trust to "bestowe them well, by God's grace."—Westminster Gazette.

Persian Burials.

In Persia two sticks a foot long are placed in the coffin to prop up the arms of the corpse when it rises from the grave and is being questioned by the angel Gabriel. After it has satisfied the angel that it is the body of a true Mussulman it will receive strength to stand alone. A glance from a dog is necessary to drive away the spirit of defilement, and for this purpose a street cur is brought into the room of death and its eyes led to the corpse by a tempting bit of bread laid on the still breast.

Restlessness.

Mere restlessness is not a matter for which physicians are often consulted. It is on the face of it an unimportant malady, but when it exists in sufficient intensity to form the subject of complaint and to induce the sufferer to seek advice it is usually found to be the superficial indication of a grave underlying condition.—Hospital.

Change of Heart.

Parson Primrose—Why do you think it was out of place for your father to say grace? Freddie—Because it was only a few minutes afterward that he was swearing over having to carve the turkey.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Labor Saving Devices.

"Do you know, Sam, that a man does not have to do as much work now as he did ten years ago?"

"Yes, sah; I know it, sah. Why, I's been married nearly eight years, sah!"—Yonkers Statesman.

Pleasant.

Mistress—Now, remember, Bridget, the Joneses are coming for dinner. Cook—Leave it to me, mum. I'll do me worst! They'll never trouble yez again!—Illustrated Bits.

The South Sea Whiskers Trade.

"In the south seas whiskers is a rarity," said a sailor. "Most of them there Maoris has hairless faces, like a girl's. When a young Maori, at the age of sixteen or so, finds himself endowed with whiskers he blesses the day when he was born, for now, by tar, he knows his whiskers will keep him from want in his old age.

"Puzzlin', ain't it? I'll explain it out to you.

"The Maori chiefs down Tahiti way wears a complicated headdress, and a necessary part of this here headdress is a lot of stiff tufts of white whiskers. The headdress makers pays for white whiskers their weight in gold.

"So, you see, old fellers with snowy spinach is in demand in the south seas. Contractors keeps herds of these old fellers, the same as drovers keeps sheep, and reg'lar in June and December the semiannual shearin' comes off.

"The curly, white harvest is loaded on to pirogues, and the contractors puts out over the roarin' coral reefs, and from island to island sells to the chiefs big handfuls of that there snowy fluff for its weight in French gold."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

The Bottle at Ship Launches.

Down to Charles II.'s time it was customary to name and baptize a ship after she was launched, sometimes a week or two after. The old Tudor method used for men-of-war was still in use. Pepys' "Diary" shows that. The ship was safely got afloat, after which some high personage went on board with a special silver "standing cup" or "flaggon" of wine, out of which he drank, naming the ship, and poured a libation on the quarter deck. The cup was then generally given to the dockyard master shipwright as a memento. When did the present usage of naming and baptizing a ship before she is sent afloat come in? I trace the last explicit mention of the old method to 1664, when the Royal Katherine was launched (see Pepys). The first mention of smashing a bottle of wine on the bows of a British man-of-war that I have found is in a contemporary newspaper cutting of May, 1780, describing the christening of H. M. S. Magnanime at Deptford, but nothing is hinted that it was then a new custom. —London Notes and Queries.

Almost at Rest.

A kind hearted but somewhat close fisted man who was sorely afflicted with a conscience came to a friend, holding a visiting card in his hand. He looked deeply troubled. "I know," said he, "this man wants to borrow money. I know he will drink it. What am I to do?"

"It is perfectly simple," said the friend. "Send down word that you are out."

"I cannot," he said. "I have never told a lie in my life."

"Then," said his friend, "lend all your money to me, and you can tell him you haven't a penny in your pocket."

After some hesitation the kind hearted man complied and, having seen his caller, returned.

"Well," asked his friend, "are your conscience and mind at rest?"

"Not quite, man," he replied, "but they will be as soon as you have given me my money back."—Bellman.

He Writ.

A well known dramatic critic visiting Stratford on Shakespeare's birthday and, hearing the clangor of the bells which, from their tower in the old church where the poet lies buried, awoke the little town to its devotions approached a wintry headed street sweeper in front of Irving's inn and said: "Who is the fellow they're making this fuss about? I see you have Shakespeare hotels, Shakespeare gingerbread, and only the other day I saw a man driving to town some pigs called 'Shakespeare's best.' Who is he—the fellow who lived in that tumbledown shanty yonder?" The "oldest inhabitant" megaphoned his ear and, wheezing, replied, "I think he writ." "Oh, he writ, did he? What did he write—books, confessions of a deer stealer, magazine articles—what?" "I think he writ for the Bible."

A Decorated Interior.

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A Surgical Operation.

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Burtville,.....			11 47	7 22	8 17
Roulette,.....			11 55	7 30	8 50
Knowlton's, ...			11 59	○○	○○
Mina,.....			12 05	7 40	9 10
Olmsted,.....			12 09	*7 44	○○
Coudersport. { Ar.			12 17	7 52	9 25
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North Coudersport,	○○	...	*12 28	.....	.....
Frink's,.....	*6 10	.....	*12 35	.....	.....
Colesburg,.....	6 17	.....	12 42	.....	.....
Seven Bridges,.....	*6 22	.....	*12 47	.....	.....
Raymonds,.....	6 32	.....	12 57	.....	.....
Gold,.....	6 37	.....	1 02	.....	.....
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Ladies Black Coats made of Broadcloth, etc., all this season's latest styles handsomly tailored.

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3.75 Beautiful Lawn Waists	2.50
2.50 Beautiful Lawn Waists	1.69
2.25 Beautiful Lawn Waists	1.50
2.00 Beautiful Lawn Waists	1.49
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